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WALLACE'S MAN IS UPSET VICTOR IN N. Y. ELECTION

Leo Isacson Becomes Second ALP Representative To Win Seat in Congress

NEW YORK, Feb. 17—(AP)—An American Labor party candidate given all-out backing by Henry A. Wallace won a startling victory tonight in a Bronx special congressional election.

The major upset was considered certain to shock politicians seeking a clue to presidential candidate Wallace's ability to attract the voters in the 1948 national campaign.

Leo Isacson, the ALP nominee, won 22,697 votes with all 159 election districts accounted for in the 24th district contest, more than his three opponents combined. The district is in the Democratic stronghold of Edward J Flynn, Bronx Democratic leader and former party national chairman. Flynn's organization waged a vigorous campaign

The tally for the others was: Karl Propper, Democrat, 12,578; Dean Alfange, Liberal, 3840, Joseph De Nigris, Republican, 1482.

The margin of Isacson's victory was fully as surprising as the fact that he won. The district has sent Democrats to Congress for years and Propper had been ticketed as a strong favorite to win.

Isacson's victory sends a second ALP member to Congress.

The other ALP Congressman, Vito Marcantonio, who represents a Manhattan district, was active in the Isacson campaign.

Isacson, a 38-year-old attorney, said during the day he would be happy to better the 27 percent of the votes which the ALP candidate garnered in the 1946 congressional election.

Isacson termed his victory "a resounding repudiation by the people of the policies of the Truman administration, policies which are leading down the road to war." He described it as "a victory for Henry A. Wallace and the third party—the people's party"

A close associate of Wallace said after the returns came in, "I'm still blinking at the figures" Wallace himself was in Tampa, Fla, in one of his first tours in his presidential campaign.

C. B Baldwin, Wallace's campaign manager in his White House bid, hailed the result as a forerunner of the voting next November.

"It is proof—as Mr Wallace has been saying for months—that the people demand a new party—a third party led by Henry Wallace, dedicated to achieving peace, security and abundance," Baldwin said, adding:

"Mr. Isacson won because he campaigned on the Wallace program—for outright repeal of the Taft-Hartley act, restoration of price control, expansion of Democratic rights, an end to the Truman doctrine, defeat of universal military training and the Marshall plan as presented to Congress, and full U. S support for the United Nations, for progress at home and peace abroad"

Ex-UNRRA Official Says Russia Fears U. S. Air Strength

Lloyd Christman, of Hamburg, one of five American field officers chosen by UNRRA to supervise the distribution of supplies in Yugoslavia in 1944-45, told 75 members of the Pottstown Kiwanis club at their meeting in the Elks home last night.

"America must put across the Marshall Plan, but it will be a success only if our air force is increased to 50 percent of its strength in 1945."

He declared that Russia feared nothing but American air might.

Describing his experiences in Yugoslavia, Christman declared that he had been trailed by the secret police everywhere he went, and that he had no freedom of expression at any time.

In addition, he declared, UNRRA entrance into the country was allowed only if a Russian officer were appointed to oversee the project.

Of 16,000 UNRRA trucks sent into war-torn Yugoslavia, Christman described, most were used for troop movements.

Raymond Detterer, chairman of the public affairs committee, was program chairman last night, and Kiwanis President John B Hartenstine Jr. was in charge of the business meeting.

THE WEATHER

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Mostly sunny and rather mild today. Some cloudiness and slightly colder tomorrow.

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TEMPERATURE EXTREMES

Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

2 a. m.	45	4 p. m.	52
3 a. m.	44	5 p. m.	52
4 a. m.	43	6 p. m.	49
5 a. m.	42	7 p. m.	45
6 a. m.	41	8 p. m.	43
7 a. m.	41	9 p. m.	41
8 a. m.	42	10 p. m.	39
9 a. m.	47	11 p. m.	37
10 a. m.	48	12 p. m.	35
11 a. m.	51	1 a. m.	33
12 m.	52	2 a. m.	32
1 p. m.	53	3 a. m.	31

'Smiley' the Cat Figures in Trial Of Film Comic

JENKINS and SMILEY

LOS ANGELES, Feb 17 (AP) — A policeman testified today that when film comic Allen Jenkins was booked on a charge of drunken driving the past Jan. 26 he insisted that his cat, Smiley, which was riding with him, be fingerprinted first.

"Jenkins was weaving so badly we had to make two sets of fingerprints," officer Lester Jones testified at the trial. "And he insisted that his cat's paws be fingerprinted before anything else."

After Jenkins' arrest, officers said the actor declared facetiously that the cat, not he, was driving the car.

Jenkins is on trial before a Municipal court jury.

Ideals Lead Him To Become Man Without Country

FRANKFURT, Germany, Feb. 17 (AP)—A 24-year-old former Harvard university student has become a man without a country because he wants to be a citizen of all the world.

He is Henry Noel, of Princeton, N J., who has renounced his American citizenship to take up life as an ordinary laborer in Germany's austere economy.

This was disclosed today by U. S. military government officials, who said Noel had left with them a statement saying he was "prepared for any and all consequences" of his action.

The statement said his decision was not motivated by any "personal dislike" for the United States, its people or its policies. The statement added:

"We witness in these times a climax of nationalism, the spectacle of separate national political entities each thinking to realize its own private national ambition, each desperate to maintain or enlarge its own national powers or prestige, while in reality everyone harbors and cannot put in abeyance the same basic struggle.

"Citizenship in a nation, being tacit acceptance and approval of this situation or else ignorance of these facts, has become for me intolerable and incompatible with my personal convictions.

"I can no longer remain a citizen of the U. S A. or of any nation"

Military government officials said Noel is now employed by a German construction firm at Kassel and is living on German rations

They said he entered the American zone of Germany the past September after working in France with the U. S Aid to France commission. His presence was discovered when he made arrangements for forwarding his mail.

FUEL OIL, GAS EXPORTS BANNED FOR 48 HOURS

Commerce Department Says Foreign Cut Due To Relieve Crisis in U. S.

WASHINGTON, Feb 17 (AP)—The Commerce department tonight halted the issuance of all export licenses for gasoline and fuel oil for 48 hours.

Before Friday a new cut in export quotas probably will be announced, a department spokesman said, to save oil for only American homes.

The decision was announced after two false starts Shortly after 5 p. m, the department told reporters of the temporary license suspension.

Within half an hour an information official notified reporters that the suspension "has been called off." Instead, he said, an announcement of a cut in quotas was being prepared Then—in another half-hour—the department officially announced that the suspension was in force.

The cut-off of licensing will permit officials to scan foreign oil needs. American embassies abroad have been queried and a good many replies have been received.

They indicate, a spokesman said, that foreign governments can stand another cut in oil deliveries. Shipments to 30 or more countries were slashed by 3,700,000 barrels on Jan. 30.

The new order will not halt oil which is at shipside or already in transit.

Before the Commerce department had made up its mind, Rep. Heselton (R-Mass) announced on the House floor that the foreign countries had agreed to take less oil.

Later, he told reporters that cables so far received from the embassies indicated a saving of 21,500,000 gallons of fuel oil and kerosene alone for American consumers, or about 500,000 barrels. Gasoline savings also may be possible, he said.

Heselton asked an outright embargo on all shipments, rather than the suspension of licenses. He said the department would be "derelict in its duty" if it did not take immediate steps to save the 21,500,000 gallons.

The license cut-off was a climatic step in the department's effort to cope with vast oil demands growing out of an almost nationwide cold spell

A week ago all shipments were halted from the East coast, the worst shortage area That order did not block shipments from West coast and gulf ports, however.

The new action bars licenses for shipment from any port When it is lifted Friday morning, the spokesman said, the East coast embargo will remain in force. It is due to run to March 31.

Man Knocked Down By Dislodged Brick

A falling brick from a chimney on the Memorial hospital yesterday struck Otto Miller, Elverson, knocking him to the ground.

Miller, one of a group of men removing the chimney, was walking along the side of the hospital when the brick fell. It had been dislodged by one of the men working on the roof.

The brick struck Miller on the shoulder and knocked him down.

Other workmen rushed him inside where his shoulder was X-rayed and treated for bruises Hospital authorities reported no bones were broken and that Miller was in a satisfactory condition following treatment.

U. S FLYERS RELEASED

WARSAW, Feb 17 (AP)—Five U. S fliers departed by plane today for Berlin after detention by the Poles overnight on a charge of trespassing.

'Putting Away' a Six-Decker

—Mercury Staff Photo

With a pickle in one hand and a bite from a six-decker sandwich in another, Patricia Schultz, 631 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, goes to work on a free meal, of her own choosing, in the Howard Johnson restaurant. She was one of 31 Boyertown High school students who toured the establishment yesterday as guests of Mrs. Marian M. Conrad, manager, who extended the invitation at a Career Night talk in the high school. The "object" on the right is a Johnson Jamboree, Pottstown's gift to the restaurant chain.

Hot Dog's Popularity Dealt Stiff Blow From Jive Set as Eats Are 'on House'

By FRED SELBY
(Mercury Staff Writer)

The hot dog took a frightful snubbing in Pottstown yesterday as 31 Boyertown High school students toured the Howard Johnson restaurant and chose free meals in a manner to make mothers mutter.

It all started with a visit by Mrs. Marian M Conrad, restaurant manager, to the Feb. 2 Career Night program at Boyertown High school, but yesterday the event was complicated by an insatiable appetite for ice-cream sodas and something billed as "Tarry With a Torme Torment" The latter is connected with a man billed as "The Velvet Fog" — if that makes anything clearer

When they began their two-hour visit at 3:30 p. m., the 22 girls and nine boys were given their choice of four different meals, all free. Twenty - six chose the one featuring a hamburger and French fries; six students divided their loyalties between a cheese-burger platter and a hot waffle platter.

The Howard Johnson Grilled Frankfurter (similar to a hot dog) drew a total of no eaters, despite the fact it was accompanied by any flavor of ice cream soda.

That the students really dislike the hot dog was proven in the dairy at the end of the tour. Mrs Conrad offered to give them all the ice-cream sodas they could drink More than half an hour later the students still were drinking, while Mrs. Conrad had put on an apron, rolled up her sleeves and joined the dairy in trying to fill the last hollow leg.

The "Torme Torment" entered the scene as part of the restaurant's survey of jive-set likes. It is one of the ice-cream concoctions most favored. Another popular item is the "Johnson Jamboree," Potts-

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FATHER AND SON SERVICES SET

Churches Plan Programs As Initial Events in Week's Observance Here

Four Pottstown churches announced yesterday they would hold special services during the observance of Father and Son Week to be sponsored here next week by more than 30 borough groups.

Dr Roberts K. Karn, chairman of the observance committee's church arrangements, said other borough churches were expected to announce services within the next few days.

The program Monday night at Trinity Reformed church will be addressed by Isaac Thomas, master at The Hill, who will speak on "George Washington." There also will be devotionals in charge of A. B. Reichenbach and a social hour.

At St. James Lutheran church Troop 18 will have a fathers and sons program with members of the Boy Scout troop committee on hand to show fathers the work being done by their boys. There also will be a social hour.

Sunday the men of St James church will have an opportunity to observe how their sons are taught in Sunday school.

The Monday program of First Baptist church will be a "Night of Fun." There will be games, a social hour and films of the Joe Louis-Joe Walcott fight.

The Sunday sermon of the pastor, the Rev Delaine E Story, will be on the fathers and sons theme The program at Christ Episcopal

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Kites and Snake Appear on Scene As Spring-Like Air Hikes Mercury

A touch of Spring brought the warmest day of Winter to town yesterday.

The thermometer reached 53 regrees, only eight degrees short of the all-time record for Feb. 17, set in 1927, and six notches higher than the past Feb 14, the previous hottest day of the Winter.

This unexpectedly balmy weather brought out small boys with kites, a garter snake and another break in a water main, caused by the rapid change in temperature

The kite-flyers were Thomas Heimbach, of 359 North Washington street, and Raymond Stout, of 451 Lincoln avenue, who took advantage of the gentle breezes of the most pleasant day in two months yesterday afternoon

Mrs. Minnie Fink, of 915 Walnut street, declared she saw a two-foot garter snake, near the cellar window of her home at both 12.45 p. m. and 1.20 p. m. yesterday, before it crawled away, apparently deciding that a couple more months of chilly weather were in store before Spring really came.

The fourth water main break since Saturday plagued water company workers yesterday. A four-inch pipe developed a crack on Beech street near Manatawny street and the water supply had to be shut off during the morning until a sleeve was fitted over the cast iron pipe.

Other breaks all in six-inch mains, since Saturday, have been on Beech street near Franklin street, Glasgow street at Berks street and on South street between Franklin and Washington streets.

In spite of the warm weather, the

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Road Gangs Begin Repairs on Streets Split by Ice, Snow

Both state and borough road gangs were busy yesterday patching Pottstown streets cracked and pitted by the ice, snow and then the sudden thaw.

Hanover street, between Third and Fourth streets, was repaired by a State crew from the Norristown office of the Highway department working under the direction of Allen Albright, near Halfway House, who is in charge of 50 miles of road in this section.

Albright's gang of five men working from one truck could make only temporary repairs because of the wet streets. The section of Hanover street he repaired was one of the worst in this area, he said, and his men would be back to install permanent fillings as soon as dry weather came.

The State workers could spend only about half a day on this job because they were called several times to fix other danger spots nearby, after reports of their existence were relayed by Mrs. Albright to her husband.

The borough street gang faced its biggest problem with a cave-in of dirt over a new sewer pipe on King street leading to Trinity Reformed church.

Borough Manager Dow I. Sears

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The Hill Affiliates With School Group

The Hill was one of more than 40 Pennsylvania private schools represented yesterday as charter members at the organizational meeting of the Pennsylvania Association of Private Academic schools.

The association's function, members were told, is to maintain and improve standards in the state's private schools.

The group was organized after passage of a bill the past year through the General assembly providing for licensing and regulation of private schools by the department of education.

The bill, in turn, was made law after the arrest of George W Balles, former headmaster of the erstwhile Warminster academy, Three Tuns, near Ambler, on a morals charge involving one of his pupils

The association has the sanction of the department of education.

Yesterday's meeting was held in Friend's Select school, Philadelphia.

Sewer Ditch Collapses; Two Workers Injured

Two sewer construction workers were in "good" condition at Pottstown hospital last night after they narrowly escaped being crushed by two tons of dirt in Stowe yesterday afternoon.

They were Raymond Centini, 53, of Lancaster, who suffered a fracture of the lower jaw and a possible fracture of the vertebra at the nape of his neck, and Jose Novo, 38, of the Bracote hotel, whose left shoulder was broken.

Both men were working in a ditch which was being prepared for a sewer line leading to the West End Fire company. The ditch is on Rice street at the intersection of Vine street.

Novo saw that the west side of the 12-foot cut was weakened by melting ice and snow and warned Centini of a possible cave-in.

His warning came just a few minutes before two tons of dirt, sand and gravel tumbled into the cut.

The bulk of the mass missed Centini, but he was caught by the corner of the slide. As Novo, standing beside him, tried to pull him out, another flow of dirt also trapped him. Both men were rescued by other members of the crew.

Ambulances of the Good Will Fire company were called and the workers were taken to Pottstown hospital. X-rays of Centini's neck were being made last night.

A. J Orsino, superintendent of the project, confirmed that the cave-in was caused by water-weakened masses of earth.

He said that no one else had been hurt in the landslide, which was the first to occur on the Stowe sewer project since the Berlanti Construction company, of New York, started work the past Summer.

Only one of the two Good Will ambulances sent to the scene of the accident was used to take the two men to the hospital. It was driven by Robert Roth.

Head of Guard Unit Leads Weekly Drill

Capt Charles Barr, recently invalided out of the hospital after an auto crash a month ago, conducted his first drill of Company A, Pennsylvania National Guard, last night in the armory.

Besides close order drill, organized athletics and care of equipment, movies of the Louis-Walcott fight were shown.

Two recruits, Frank J. Daroci, 49 Isabella street, and Leo J. Corbey, 536 Chestnut street, were enlisted into the unit.

J. E. MAUGER, 57, DIES SUDDENLY

Kenilworth Resident Succumbs in Lodge Home After Bowling Match

J. Elmer Mauger, of Pottstown RD 1, died suddenly at Pottstown Nest 1393, Order of Owls, 19 High street, at 10.45 o'clock yesterday morning, apparently of a heart attack.

J. Elmer Mauger

He had been bowling for half an hour, just as he had done every Tuesday morning for more than a year, when he complained of sharp pains above his stomach.

Mauger asked the bartender, Dewey Harner, of Pine Forge, for a bromide.

"Before he even finished drinking it he sat down and just passed out," Harner related.

An ambulance of the Good Will Fire company, driven by William Tosto, was called, but the Kenilworth man was unconscious when it arrived and was pronounced dead on arrival at Pottstown hospital, by Dr. Arturo Singer.

Police Chief James A. Laughead dispatched Motor Patrolman Robert Houser to the Owls building and notified Coroner Winslow J. Rushong of the death. No investigation or post-mortem had been ordered last night, however.

Mauger, who was 57 years old, had been active as a machinist at the Doehler - Jarvis corporation plant for the past four years.

Prior to that time he worked as a machinist at Jacobs Aircraft Engine plant No 1 for three years.

Most of his life, however, he spent as an automobile mechanic. Automobiles always interested him, and recently he joined the Antique Automobile Club of America, in Philadelphia.

Mauger was born in Pottstown and lived in this area all his life. He had been at his Kenilworth home for the past 32 years.

According to his daughter, Mrs Mary Dimonico, of Kenilworth, he had not been ill prior to his seizure yesterday, and although no diagnosis of the cause of death had been determined by hospital officials, the family believed that a heart attack had taken place.

In addition to Mrs. Dimonico, his survivors include his widow, Mrs. Blanche (Fulmer) Mauger; four sons, John E. Jr, James O, William D, and Thomas E., at home; a brother, Albert K. Mauger, of 1154 Queen street; a step-sister, Mrs. Martha Harner, of Pine Forge, and one grandchild.

Mauger's lodge affiliations in Pottstown included Aerie 626, Fraternal Order of Eagles; Manatawny Lodge 214, IOOF, and the old Seneca club

Funeral services will be held privately Friday from a Parkerford funeral home, with the Rev. D. Howard Keiper, pastor of the Coventry Brethren church, officiating. Interment will be in the East Coventry Mennonite cemetery.

Soap Prices Take 10 Percent Tumble

Prices on most commodities yesterday were resting comfortably after the previous week's violent falls but a few continued to vary.

Soap, soap and powder, tumbled 10 percent in some stores early this week while flour, butter and margarine made less spectacular drops in some of the biggest markets in Pottstown.

Meat, particularly pork of all kinds, however, began a climb early in the week.

Although beef stayed steady generally, pork jumped 4 cents a pound and many retailers have been told to expect a 10-cent boost in ham before Easter.

Produce, in most cases, was reported holding steady

Meanwhile, a wave of selling on the nation's wheat markets yesterday put most grains on the price toboggan again. And the New York division of Safeway Stores, Inc., reduced prices on 105 meat items from 2 to 10 cents and two large Philadelphia chains cut meat prices by the same margin.

Jury Decrees Lachman Death As Accidental

The death of Miss Helen P. Lachman, 31-year-old Pottstown nurse, in an automobile accident Jan. 18 was ruled accidental yesterday as a jury, convening in the County courthouse at Norristown before Coroner W J. Rushong, exonerated two drivers.

Miss Lachman, who resided at 141 Beech street, was pronounced dead of a fractured skull on admission to Pottstown hospital.

Charles C. Barr, with whom she was riding, and Joseph Moon, of Camden, N. J., operator of a coal truck, who were cleared at today's inquest, were injured in the crash. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hartman, of Pottstown, passengers of Barr, also were hurt.

Barr, who lives at the YMCA here, said that his car, traveling west on High street, went into a skid near Mt. Vernon street, veered across the highway, and wound up broadside against the front of Moon's truck, which was going east.

Barr told the jury that he was traveling about 30 miles an hour. Moon said he was in second gear, going 10.

Patolmen Paul Galloway and Harry Chrusch, who investigated, said they could not find any criminal negligence on the part of either driver.

Touring Trucker Awaited by Police

The touring trucker who took the $8000 trailer of John F Leveille, 399 North York street, to Florida probably will be back in this area late today or early Thursday.

This estimate is based on Mrs. Leveille's study of the time required to drive at a normal pace between Florida and Philadelphia, the home of Robert C. Stamm, the missing driver.

She said she did not receive any further word yesterday from Mrs. Stamm, who had asked borough police to dismiss the warrant charging her husband with larceny of the truck and converting it to his use. They refused.

On his first trip for Leveille, Stamm went to Chicago was last seen by Leveille somewhere in Ohio Feb 5 and has been sending a barrage of post cards to his wife since, saying he will be home.

Thief Neglects Bicycle, Steals Drive Chain

Arthur Quackenbos, Pottstown RD 3 youth, had a long walk with his bicycle last night. Somebody stole the drive chain from it while it was parked in front of the YMCA building.

He reported the matter to police while pushing his bike toward home.

ON THE MAIN DRAG

CHARLES WOLFGANG
—treasuring a catcher's mask.

RACHEL TROOP
—strolling of a sunny afternoon.

R. T. RICHARDS
—demonstrating a new skill.

RUTH BUCKWALTER
—talking into the wrong end of a telephone

PEARL HAAS
—baking a cake without baking powder.

JAMES McDEVITT
—having three people take his advice.

W. FORDS SANDS
—dispensing bread and bacon to a stand-in marketer.

THE REV. JOHN NAJA
—commenting on his size.

CARL PICKAR
—conveying the idea with gestures.

JOHN KATONA
—surrounded by women.

'Iron Curtain' in Pottstown Schools?

Textbooks Skip Lightly Over Russia

By FRANK DOSTAL
(Mercury Staff Writer)

The question of Russia's place and importance in world affairs will be an even greater question to Pottstown students in the future because of the "iron curtain" thrown up by their current textbooks, a Mercury survey revealed yesterday.

Textbooks used in all grades from the elementary schools through the Senior High school contain so little information about Russia that the average student could graduate without remembering any more than the name of its capital city

Only two books, one a sixth year geography and the other a High school sophomore history, contain any extensive amount of material about Russia. Both books are recent publications.

Of the two books, only the history recognizes that there may be two sides to Russian economy. Neither book mentions Soviet foreign policy and both are illustrated with official Russian photos with propaganda motives.

Some books extolled Russia's part in the recent war, but most of them made no mention of what had gone before.

One textbook, used for a senior class in Problems of Democracy, made only one reference to Russia It mentioned the late entry of the Soviet Union into the League of Nations because of the fear other nations had of Communism.

William H. McCabe, who teaches Problems of Democracy, said yesterday he is forced to gather all his source material on the part Russia is playing in world organization from periodical literature.

It is necessary to improvise in the classroom to bring the importance of the problem to the students. Those improvisations include student subscriptions to a monthly digest magazine, and discussions of views presented by Town Hall speakers such as Robert St John and Dr. Walter H. Judd.

One 762-page history contains references only to the purchase of Alaska, Russia's surrender in World War I, and final recognition of the Soviet Union by the United States under President Roosevelt.

In the elementary schools, pupils begin to learn of Russia in the sixth year. Prior to that, their only contact with that nation is through an old fable contained in a reader.

Russia is touched upon again in the eighth year and again in the sophomore year in high school.

In one book on the growth of civilization, the split between the ideas of Lenin and Stalin are explained briefly A short outline is presented to show how the difference in ideas has affected Russia internally, but fails to show how it affects the remainder of the world

One of the chief causes of the lack of information on Russia in the textbooks being used is their age. Three new books have been submitted for consideration in the elementary schools, all of which

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MARKET BREAK TO DELAY PRICE-WAGE CURB PLAN

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17 (AP)—Congress today turned the price problem over to a law it never enacted — the law of supply and demand.

That was the practical effect of a prediction by Senator Tobey (R-NH) that action on wage-price and rationing legislation will be delayed indefinitely by the market break.

"I think the peak of the high price range has passed. I think the edge is off the price problem," Tobey told a reporter.

Tobey said his Senate banking committee probably will wait and see what happens before acting on anti-inflation measures.

The committee wound up month-long hearings on various control bills Feb 5, the day after the markets went into a decline. No vote yet has been taken and Tobey's statement indicated a lengthy postponement.

Chairman Wolcott (R-Mich) of the House banking committee the past week proposed that Congress take a two-week recess on anti-inflation measures "to see where we are heading."

If at the end of the waiting and watching period the old economic law of supply and demand does not stabilize prices, they indicated, Congress may be asked to consider steps to curb the cost of living.

As one exception to the waiting policy, fast action was in prospect for rent controls which expire Feb 29.

Senator Taft (R-Ohio) told reporters Congress should act quickly on a long term extension. He said the Senate probably will go to work on a new rent bill Friday.

A 14-month extension was voted by the Senate banking committee yesterday which provided for controlled increases in some rents. Although the House banking committee approved only a months' extension of the present law, Chairman Wolcott "kept the door open" for further action.

Taft announced later the Senate Republican policy committee, which he heads, had decided to press for quick action on a bill extending rent controls "a year or so." He said this does not mean the policy group is endorsing the 14-month bill.

These were other developments on the economic front: 1. The Senate banking committee voted to continue government controls through June, 1949, on ten fats oils and certain other scarce commodities. The House banking committee voted only a month's extension—to provide a waiting period to study recent price changes. 2. Two grain exchange officials opposed a bill to permit the government to fix the amount of down payment required for commodity markets trading. But a spokesman for the national grange urged congress to curb "excessive gambling in grain and other food commodities."

Grand Jury Indicts Bennett Meyers For Evading $15,658 Income Tax

BALTIMORE, Feb 17 (AP)—Maj. Gen. Bennett E. Meyers, already charged with perjury, was indicted by a Federal grand jury today on a charge of evading $15,658 in 1941 income taxes.

The 52-year-old retired general, second ranking Army Air Forces procurement officer during the war, was accused of filing a "false and fraudulent" tax return giving his 1941 income as $3808 while actually he made $36,301.

Meyers is under indictment in Washington on charges that he lied to a Senate investigating committee and induced a former business associate to do likewise.

The associate, Elliot H. LaMarre, who also is under perjury indictment appeared before the grand jury today.

The perjury charges grew out of Meyers' denial before the Senate committee that he was connected with the aviation electric company of Dayton, O. LaMarre, who first backed him up, later admitted the company was operated by the general.

Today's indictment alleges that Meyers in 1941, obtained $32,493 from aviation electric.

LaMarre told Senate investigators the general had used him as a "dummy president" of the concern and made more than $150 000 out of its war contracts.

General Meyers, at his Long Island estate, described the income tax charge as "absolutely ridiculous" and said it was "a further smear attempt for which there was no justification whatsoever."

Meyers did not appear before the grand jury and $1000 bail was posted for him in district court.

He was denounced as a "rotten apple" and "disgrace to the uniform" at the congressional hearing by General H. H. Arnold, wartime commander of the Army Air Forces.

Meyers retired in 1945 and since the hearings has been deprived of his decorations and his $550 monthly physical disability pay.

TRUMAN URGES WOMEN HELP BATTLE PRICES

President Asks Use Of Consumer Power To Fight Inflation

WASHINGTON Feb 17 (AP)—President Truman advised American women today to use their spending power to beat down the high cost of living.

Addressing a conference of women leaders at the Labor department, the President said:

"Women's organizations have at hand a ready weapon which they have not yet used to its full capacity — the power of the consumer.

"It has been said over and over again that women control the bulk of the nation's wealth; they certainly channe its day-to-day spending for food, for clothing, for education, for all the things that make for better living.

"This is a weapon which you can use together to combat one of the enemies that now threaten us—the high cost of living."

The conference was arranged by the Labor department to commemorate the 100th anniversary of a convention at Seneca Falls, N. Y., which launched the movement for women's rights and women's social freedom.

Mr. Truman told the delegates that although they can count successes such as suffrage, social legislation and greater economic opportunities for women, there still are "many unfinished tasks." Among these, he said, are equal pay for equal work, and the right to serve on Federal juries.

Applause filled the auditorium when Mr Truman mentioned the name of Mrs Franklin D Roosevelt.

AID PLAN CHANGE IS PROPOSED TO PERMIT TAX CUT

Senators Ask Funds For Initial Cost Come From Treasury Surplus

WASHINGTON, Feb 17 (AP)—A surprise move to alter Marshall plan bookkeeping and ease the way for a big tax cut was approved today by the Senate foreign relations committee.

The proposal involves a change in President Truman's plans for financing the program of European recovery.

Under the Truman plans, the bulk of the huge expense would be paid, not out of this fiscal year's budget, but out of the budgets for the following fiscal years.

Mr Truman wants to use the estimated treasury surplus of $7,482,610,000 for this fiscal year to reduce the national debt.

Under the Senators' plan, which was proposed by Senator Millikin (R-Colo), $3 000,000,000 of the initial cost of the Marshall plan would come out of this year's treasury surplus. This would reduce government spending for the next fiscal year, starting July 1, 1948, and would leave more leeway for tax cutting.

It also would cut into this year's book surplus, and hence into the amount which would be used this year to reduce the national debt.

The proposal gave a sudden spurt to GOP tax reduction plans—as was intended.

Senator Millikin, chairman of the Senate finance committee, announced that the Senate will take up the tax cut right after debate on the Marshall plan. That debate begins March 1.

The House recently voted for a $5,600,000,000 reduction in income taxes.

Parent Keeps Daily Vigil On Son 'Sleeping' for Year

FRAMINGHAM, Mass., Feb 17 (AP)—The long sleep that began for Ralph C. Abbott, 32, a year ago today, continued tonight and doctors said he never would waken again.

On Feb 17, 1947, his automobile struck a tree in early-morning darkness and he was hurled against a stone wall. Surgeons did their best to mend his injured brain. But they reported that damage to the portion governing voluntary motion, consciousness and the emotions was past repair.

So now—one year later, he lies on his side, as one curled up in sleep, at the Cushing Veterans' hospital here.

Fed concentrated liquid food hourly through a nose tube, turned by attendants every two hours, regularly shaved and his hair regularly cut, he shows no promise from his years hospitalization, and has gained weight.

Today, as on every other day for the past year, Isaac Abbott, 61, visited his bachelor son's bedside, and then returned the 15 miles to his Norwood home to tell Ralph's mother that their son sleeps on.

Eight Sailors Feared Lost As Naval Launch Capsizes

HYERES France Feb 17 (AP)—The French coast guard said tonight one officer and seven men from the U. S. aircraft carrier Midway were missing after a naval launch capsized about midnight last night.

Navy boats operating in the glare of the Midway's searchlights rescued 29 other men clinging to the overturned launch or swimming nearby.

The launch overturned while taking officers and men to the carrier after a farewell shore party given by French officials. The party was held at a casino on the small island of Hyeres off the French Riviera.

Survivors were segregated on the Midway until the full story could be heard from them. The hunt for the missing men continued tonight with French naval ships and small fishing boats aiding.

The French coast guard set the figure at eight missing in an official report after denying rumors that 40 had disappeared. French police said American ship officers had asked them to check on the possibility that some of the missing men had merely failed to report back from shore leave and were not on the launch.

The launch was one of several returning personnel to the ship. There was a strong offshore wind but the sea was not regarded as dangerous by Navy men.

An available small boats joined the search when news of the accident reached the carrier. The first rescue boat reached the scene 30 minutes after the accident.

End of De Valera Rule In Ireland Predicted

DUBLIN, Feb 17 (AP)—The 16-year rule of Eamon De Valera as Eire's prime minister appeared tonight to be reaching its end.

James Everett, leader of the National Labor deputies holding the balance of power in the newly-elected parliament, said he would support the anti-De Valera coalition government.

De Valera

Parliament meets tomorrow to form a government.

Even leaders of De Valera's Fianna Fail party said privately that Everett's action would give the prime ministership to John A. Costello, former attorney general.

Costello, memoer of the Fine Gael (United Irish) party, was picked as the choice of five opposition parties to head the coalition government.

2 British Policemen Slain in Holy Land

JERUSALEM, Feb 17 (AP)—Two British constables died today from gunshot wounds suffered when they were attacked in Jerusalem's old city quarter.

An official statement said the attack was made by unknown persons who stole the constables' weapons. In various other incidents in Palestine today, three Jews and two Arabs were killed.

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Rep. John M. Robsion Dies of Heart Attack

BARBOURVILLE, Ky., Feb 17 (AP)—Representative John M. Robsion, veteran Republican legislator from Kentucky's Ninth district, died in his sleep at 6 30 o'clock here tonight.

Dr. T. R. Davis attributed Robsion's death to a heart attack.

Robsion had eaten dinner at the home of John Pickard, Circuit court clerk, after which he lay down for a nap. His body was found by Pickard.

Two Ailing Quads' Condition Improved

LATROBE, Feb 17 (AP)—The condition of the two ailing Zavada quadruplets "has cleared up satisfactorily," Dr. J. Wiley Hartman, family physician, said tonight.

Earlier today the doctor reported two of the babies Anna Mary, 3¾ pounds, and Barbara Rose, 3¼ pounds, were having some difficulty breathing.

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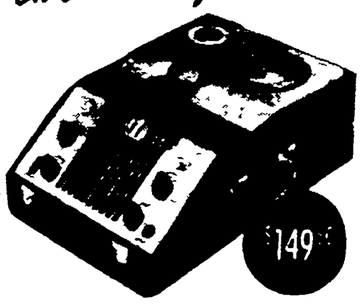

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SCHOOL TEXTBOOKS—

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contain chapters devoted to Russia's geography and industry.

Havard E. Fosnocht, principal of the elementary schools, said yesterday that although the books are good, it is probable that none will be purchased until next year.

The State Department of Education, he went on to say, is arranging a new schedule of instruction and purchases of textbooks will be curtailed until it can be determined if they will fit into the new system. The schedule is expected to be completed sometime next term.

Surveying the books used in Pottstown schools, it was discovered that less than one percent of books in modern problems and civics bore references to the Soviet Union. Only approximately 7 percent of the world history books used in secondary school tells the history of the Russian people. Six percent of secondary school geography books contained material on the USSR.

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Boy, 8, Saves Sight Of Blast Victims

BURLEY, Idaho, Feb. 17 (AP)—A 12-mile automobile drive by an eight-year-old boy seated on his father's lap was credited today with saving the eyesight of three persons temporarily blinded by a gasoline explosion.

Recovering at Cottage hospital are Lois Grindrod, 37, father of Roy Lee, the young hero; Kenneth, 13, Roy's brother, and Paul Chessly, 25.

The three older persons were drilling a water test well north of here. A gasoline-soaked rag was lighted and dropped to check progress of the drilling Saturday.

The blazing cloth appeared to go out, the Grindrods told a reporter, and gasoline was poured in the hole. An explosion followed.

"My daddy got the worst of it. He was behind over the hole," Roy Lee, who was playing about five feet away, said to a reporter.

"I felt like crying. They could walk but I had to show them where to go.

"I sat on my daddy's knee so I could see while I drove."

Hospital attaches said the prompt action of the boy in getting the three injured to medical attention undoubtedly was responsible for saving their sight.

Film Program Shown At Amvets Meeting

A movie on the Indianapolis Speedway was shown to 35 members of Post 23, Amvets, last night as the post held a regular business session in its quarters.

The Women's auxiliary, it was announced, will hold a skating party at Ringing Rocks park tomorrow night.

Harry Bernhart, first vice-commander, was in charge in the absence of William Whitman, commander.

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RESTAURANT TOUR —

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From top to bottom it contains a cherry, nuts, whipped cream, a conical dip of pistachio ice cream (a round dip is "square," Mrs. Conrad reported), a quartered banana and, on the bottom, pineapple topping.

After charting the likes of Boyertown students, restaurant officials were unable to explain them. For instance, in nearby Allentown, with the youngsters who know their food the best, it's the hot dog two to one.

Accompanying the students on their trip were Miss Mary Louise Purnell, dean of girls, and three teachers, Miss Winifred Y. Moyer, Miss Louella Hoch and Miss Margaret Schmeelk. They enjoyed seeing the restaurant behind-the-scenes and liked ice cream sodas, but they weren't too keen on the "Torme Torment."

Making the trip were Gerald Toms, Nancy Fegley, Grace Beller, Betty Knauer, Jacob Mock, Pauline Schlegel, Curtis Moyer, George Becker, Henry Fulmer, Esther Latshaw, Gayle Sands, Shirley Brannan, Janet Reigner, Doris Gehris, Mae Stauffer, Richard Nester, Patricia Schultz, Janet Rothenberger and Clara Gross.

Also Fay Sharp, Joyce Gilbert, Edna Hallman, Mary Ellen Herb, Marie Mohn, James Hartline, Daniel Eisenhard, Jean Schoch, Clyde Underkoffler, Marjorie Tyson and Ethel Moser.

WEATHER —

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grader was out scraping away layers of ice from Apple street and from Maplewood drive.

The coating of ice was particularly bad on Apple street, where a combination of narrowness and seclusion by high buildings would have kept the ice from melting, probably, until Summer.

The Schuylkill river rushed fast through Pottstown, but it presented no flood danger in spite of melting ice and snow along its length.

The river fell from 4.11 feet at 8 a. m. yesterday to 4.04 feet at 6 o'clock last night. Previously, it had risen from 3.44 feet early Monday morning, but the rise definitely was at an end 24 hours later.

A continuation of yesterday's clear skies is expected for today, but there'll be at least one change made — a little colder, says the weatherman.

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Killinger Describes Grid Experiences To Church Group

Richard King was re-elected president of the St. James Lutheran church Men's club last night as annual elections were held at the monthly session in the Sunday school room of the church.

Re-elected also was Edward W. Jameson, vice president. New officers are Walter Wetherhold, secretary, and Lewis F. Maraffie, treasurer.

After business session, Glenn Killinger, dean of men and football coach at West Chester State Teachers college, described some of his experiences with his bowl-playing team.

The coach told the 35 men present of the two bowl trips his once-defeated team took the past season, one to Johnson City, Tenn., for the Burley Bowl and then to Tampa, Fla., for the Cigar Bowl.

Killinger, former All-America halfback at Penn State, explained that he trained a team on diets and discipline to achieve the necessary physical fitness.

His ideal in the coaching world, he revealed, was Lou Little, mentor at Columbia, who Killinger thinks has the attributes of a great coach and a great man as well.

The club voted to attend, as a body with wives, too, an ice hockey game in Philadelphia March 6. King told members that at the March 16 meeting the Pottstown Model Airplane club would stage the program for the meeting.

Area Man Arrested On Disorderly Charge

Thomas Patrick Conwell, Pottstown RD 2, was arrested at 10 o'clock last night by Daniel W. Guldin, North Coventry police chief, on a drunk and disorderly charge.

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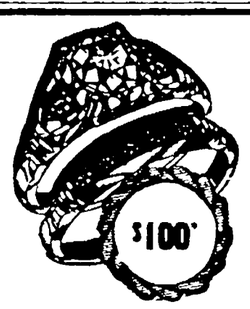

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FATHER AND SON —

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church will be held next Wednesday night, and will be highlighted by boxing bouts between boys aged 9 to 15, with a social hour to follow.

The Rev. George A. Lineker, rector, also will deliver a sermon Sunday stressing the relation between fathers and sons.

At the Salvation Army, the special service will be held Sunday night, and will be addressed by Capt. Norman Purdum, assistant officer in charge of the Reading unit.

Red Hill Man Faces Court On Slot Machine Charge

Martin Leonard, Red Hill man charged with setting up a slot machine in a Hellertown service station, waived a hearing yesterday, Alderman Joseph Ammend, Bethlehem, said last night.

Leonard, who was arrested the past Friday by Collegeville State police, will remain free under $1000 bail for the April term of Northampton county court.

L. H. Keyser Winner In Optimist Contest

Twenty members of the Pottstown Optimist club joined the fun last night, all contributing stories or acting in comic skits, at a meeting held in the Elks home.

In the tall story telling division, Leroy H. Keyser came out on top, in the opinion of judges Havard E. Posnocht and Daniel R. Koons.

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Brotherhood Awards Planned for Scouts

Any Boy Scout in Grace Lutheran church's troop who passes prescribed tests on the church and puts in 150 hours of service to the church and the community will be eligible for a new church brotherhood award, it was announced at a brotherhood meeting last night.

Earl Elliott, chairman of the troop committee, said the award is called the Pro Deo et Patria award and may be won by any scout in a Lutheran church. The prize has been instituted, he explained, by the affiliated Lutheran church brotherhoods.

Several boys in the troop already are almost eligible on the basis of hours of service, he pointed out, but said he doubted if one would be awarded this year. The award will be presented at a public gathering.

The speaker of the evening was Harold Scheffey, member of Zion's Reformed church brotherhood, who spoke on "A Man and His Church."

A layman may be called to his work much as a pastor is called to his, Scheffey pointed out, explaining that in many cases the laymen can serve where pastors cannot, as in social and business contacts.

Twenty-four members were present. Gerald Yerger, president, directed the meeting.

Melvin Sell will be in charge of the next meeting, March 16.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1948

Imitation causes us to leave natural ways to enter into artificial ones; it therefore makes slaves.—Vinet.

Cleanse the Streets!

SOMEONE will pin our ears back with squawks that we're rushing the season, but to this corner it appears Winter's backbone has been broken.

There's some scientific basis for the belief, because the Philadelphia weatherman promised Monday we wouldn't have any more severe weather this Winter.

Yesterday's 50-degree temperature seemed to bear out the weatherman's prediction. And it did other things, including giving a touch of Spring fever to some residents.

But to this department it rekindled the Spring plea that Pottstown's main streets ought to be flushed of the Winter's filth.

The scum and the oil and the orange peels and the waste paper and the coal dirt has collected since December 26 — the day of the big snow. It has laid through other blizzards. Little has been washed away. In some quarters it is inches thick. Some of the filthy gutters give off a nauseous stench.

So it's time, Mr. Borough Manager Dow I. Sears, to get out the fire hoses and wash down High street and Hanover street and Charlotte street and lots of others.

Let's not wait for a rain to do the work. The condition now is unhealthful. For the sake of health and cleanliness, let's get rid of the Winter's accumulation of trash.

A Portrait in Oils

BUTTER, margarine, lard, vegetable oils and soap have all taken a tumble in the recent commodity price decline. And why not? The question is what has been keeping the price up?

Consumption of fats and oils in the United States last year totaled about 9,600,000,000 pounds. The supply available for 1948 is estimated at about 12,000,000,000 pounds—or 25 percent more than demand. The estimate of supply is based on a prospective domestic production of 9,800,000,000 pounds, a carryover of 1,300,000,000 pounds, and imports of nearly a billion pounds.

The artificially high price of fats and oils, except butter, has been maintained, one suspects, by speculators in the commodity market. They deserve no sympathy if they were wiped out in the current crash.

The moral of it is simple: We need commodity market controls to keep speculators **modity market controls to keep speculators consumers.**

"A Rolling Jukebox"

IS THE American motor car a thing of beauty and a joy forever, as those think who have been lucky enough to get a new one? Or is the design so inferior that it "looks like nothing so much as a rolling jukebox"?

The term "rolling jukebox" is applied by Wilder Hobson, a venturesome young editor of Fortune, writing in the current issue of that magazine. Mr Hobson takes a look at European motor car design and then at the American product, and concludes that the standard American model comes off a poor second. He speaks of the "austere elegance," the "flowing lines," the "easy grace," of the Rolls-Royce, the Delahaye, the Isotta-Fraschini. By contrast,

> The Old World fancier will deplore the vulgarity of American chromium grillwork; he will be scornful of the way Detroit often tries to make its 'big package' look even bigger with a blubbery inflation of body lines (what Detroit itself calls the "jello" school of design); and he will probably find the cushiony American vehicle on the whole somewhat of a concession to a nation whose dominating females are noted the world over.

Here, obviously, is a man with the courage of his ideas. He might, however, have given American automobile designers credit for some progress. At least, they have not returned to the bloated models of 1939, the worst of which were undistinguishable at 30 paces from a female hippopotamus.

The Helpful Flirt

FLIRTING is an "aid to the young" according to Dr. Marjorie Tait, organizing secretary of the Family Relations Group in London, who doesn't say the half of it. It is even more of an aid to the non-young. In fact, it is just as being flirted with becomes more and more unlikely that it really and truly helps

To youngsters it is no more than a ray of sun on a morning that is all sunshine. To their subsequent selves the glance of a roguish and approving eye is enough to sweep back the clouds, and the cold, and the years. It can be cherished like a letter of recommendation or a line of credit at the bank. That's what it does for the non-young.

Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS,
February 17.

Editor, The Mercury,
Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal, I see by The Mercury where Pottstown kids still have the ancient ambitions to become firemen, cowboys, nurses and so forth. Ever since Harry Truman gave it such a bad name, nobody aspires to the presidency!

A Californian predicts Los Angeles within 25 years will have the largest population of any American city. Eight million autograph hunters seems like an awful lot.

And say: An astronomer is running for governor of Massachusetts. He hopes his political career will be meteoric.

Hopin' you air the same.

GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

READERS SAY:

Parallel Parking Better, Tests Driver's Ability

Letters must not be more than 200 words long, of current topics and must not involve personalities. Writers must sign their names and give street address as evidence of good faith but these will be withheld from publication on request. It is a criminal offense to sign another person's name. Poetry, and communications advocating the election of political candidates are not acceptable.

By MERCURY READERS

Truck Driver Disagrees

To the Editor: I am driving a car for 28 years and also driving truck for 16 years, and have a very good record for driving. I see in The Mercury "Diagonal System Better," Readers Say Feb. 14) a woman driver claims to be a perfect driver and is complaining about parallel parking

She claims it takes her 10 minutes to park her car in this open space. Therefore, she is not a perfect driver and should not be permitted a driver's license, as I think any person should go through this on their test to receive a driver's license. A good driver can park in this parallel space by backing in and going forward a few feet. And she also can see both ways when she leaves this space.

As it is now with diagonal parking, when cars are parked side by side you cannot see oncoming traffic until you back up at least five feet or more and take a chance of being hit by oncoming traffic, which has happened several times in this town. This also will keep the trucks off the main highway when unloading or loading, which they must do in order to supply stores or any business place.

Throughout my travels, day by day, I find women are very poor drivers, as I have saved many of them from serious injury and also myself by quick thinking. I think women and aged men drivers should be checked upon or followed for a long distance to see for yourself. And give them a test ever so often on making turns and parking in parallel spaces.

Then this so-called perfect woman driver will do her shopping in Pottstown.

Pottstown DISGUSTED DRIVER

Swish! Those Discourteous Drivers

To the Editor: While my underwear is hanging over a radiator to dry, I want to give forth with a few words about our discourteous automobile drivers.

I've been sprayed with water along Pottstown streets so many times within the past few days that I no longer have a change of dry clothes. These drivers smile gleefully as they hit these puddles at high speed as I unsuccessfully race for cover. These nit-wits seem to be so happy to be able to "open 'er up" on the bare streets that they haven't a thought for the poor pedestrian.

How about showing a little more courtesy, Mr. Motorist? Then I can start rubbing the mud polka dots out of my necktie.

Pottstown MIKE

Go Back to Daily Milk Deliveries

To the Editor: I haven't seen any mention lately about dairies going back to daily deliveries of milk. It's a service we were taught to get along without during the war, but I think it's time for our milk distributors to go back to their pre-war system

I realize that the alternate day deliveries cost less for the dairies. But if the cost of milk remains high, the public should get better service. I am an inveterate milk drinker and, to me milk is fresh only on the day it comes from the cow

Stowe T. B. F.

One Way to Get Tax Cut

To the Editor: As long as the American citizen is forced to pay an excessive income tax for the support of foreign countries, why shouldn't he be allowed to claim each individual country as a dependent and deduct them all from his income tax?

Boyertown G. W. E.

YOUR HEALTH

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M. D.

PEOPLE who have asthma are not sick all the time but are subject, at irregular intervals to attacks of difficult breathing. The patient who has been breathing normally feels that he is unable to get air out of his lungs; his chest feels and looks full; he gasps for air in short, panting breaths, and forces it out of his lungs in long, labored sighs

Usually, this unnatural breathing process is accompanied by wheezing and a certain amount of coughing. Such attacks are thought to be brought about by spasm of the bronchi or small tubes in the lungs.

The spasm itself which comes on suddenly, may be due to many different factors. Most patients, it is true have an allergy or sensitivity to certain foods, drugs, or pollens, but there are a number of other things which seem to stimulate the attacks: For instance, emotional disturbances, or infections of the nose and throat

In treating asthma, it is important to find if possible, the various "trigger" factors which set off the attacks. If a patient can discover just what substances he is sensitive to and avoid contact with them, his attacks will be lessened to a great degree. It is sometimes possible to do this by carrying out skin tests, that is, by injecting extracts of the various substances into the skin and noting whether a swelling occurs at the point of the injection within fifteen or twenty minutes.

In addition, a drug known as potassium iodide may be given by the doctor, since it helps to liquefy the sputum, so that it may be more easily brought up from the lungs. In cases of infection, the sulfonamide drugs and penicillin are often extremely useful. Sinus infection, if present, should be properly treated.

The patient with asthma should avoid large meals and indigestible foods. During an acute attack of asthma, an injection of epinephrine under the skin will, as a rule, bring relief. A solution of the epinephrine in oil gives a more prolonged action and may be desirable in some cases.

Other drugs which may help in checking an attack are ephedrine and aminophylline. Sedatives or quieting drugs, given at bedtime, may be of value, since asthmatic patients require rest and sleep. Newer drugs such as benadryl and pyribenzamine may be helpful in some cases.

Every effort should be made to build up the general physical and mental health of the patient. As the general health improves, it is less likely that the asthmatic attacks will occur in such severe form because many people in apparent health are allergic.

INTERPRETIVE

Bulgaria's 'Foes' Get Special Labor Education

(SECOND OF FOUR ARTICLES)
By WES GALLAGHER

SOFIA, Bulgaria (AP) — Without trial or public hearing, any Bulgarian considered "dangerous to state order and security" can be "forcibly placed in special labor educational communities."

In Western terms these "communities" would be called concentration camps. They are one of two types of camps through which the Communist regime of Georgi Dimitrov can dispose of its enemies without public trial

Lesser offenders go to "compulsory labor camps." These are straight labor groups where the work is long and the food poor, but adequate. The term is usually six months.

The law published in the official gazette says this forced labor is for the benefit of those forced to do it since it is aimed at "developing in them a love for public work and eliminating their bad habits."

How many persons are detained in these camps is impossible for a foreigner to learn. When American correspondents asked to visit one of the "labor education communities" the official government interpreter flatly refused even to ask permission

Persons so placed are sent there "by considered order of the minister of interior and after investigation by the director of the militia (State police)." After six months the law provides imprisonment can be renewed "by new considered order of the minister of interior."

The minister of interior in Bulgaria is Communist Anton Yugov. No trials or hearings are provided other than "investigation" by the government militia.

According to reliable information reaching diplomatic sources there are at least ten of these camps. Competent sources gave this picture of Kutsian camp, which operates in conjunction with the main Bulgarian coal fields:

At one time there were 730 agrarian (Peasant) party members in the camp, including 18 deputies of the National assembly. This was the strongest opposition party to the Communist regime until it was outlawed and its leader, Nikola Petkov, executed.

One hundred prisoners slept in a room the size of a village school on wooden bunks, three to a tier and so narrow they had to lie on their sides. Each had one blanket. There was one cold water tap for the hundred men

Failure to work hard enough was punished by confinement in dark, wet underground cells in which it was impossible to stand upright. Those released over varying periods had to sign papers that they would support the Communist Fatherland front and fight the Anglo-Saxons.

Although in the peace treaty Bulgaria signed guarantees of a free press, opposition papers have been suppressed under a law so broadly written it can be interpreted to cover any point

It provides for the shutting down of any paper the government deems has printed articles "whose nature is prone to harm general state interests, to create rumors dangerous to public order and calm or to trouble our relations with foreign states."

The cabinet can order a paper suppressed permanently. Lesser punishments may be inflicted by the minister of information. There are no provisions for open trial or hearing. The law concludes:

"Dispositions issued under this article are subject to no appeal whatsoever."

WASHINGTON

'Ike's' Friends Convinced His Rejection Was Final

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, Feb 17 — General Eisenhower's friends report him to be exasperated by continued discussion of him as a presidential candidate in 1952, if not in 1948. He figures that he has said the last word on the subject and he would like an end to rumors lest their persistency handicap his career as an educator.

Alf Landon

The men who know him best, including such prominent boosters as Roy Roberts of the Kansas City Star and Alf Landon, take him with deadly seriousness. Indeed, some maintain that his rejection was more definite than General William Tecumseh Sherman's, who said flatly that he would "not accept if nominated, and would not serve if elected." Until now, that had been considered the ultimate in political effacement.

Political historians, however, say there was a personal factor to Sherman's action. In 1880, his famous brother, Senator John Sherman, was an active candidate for the nomination, and his convention opponents, so this version goes, had tossed in William Tecumseh's name solely to embarrass John's candidacy. So, the Civil War General was really protecting the family interest

Moreover, unlike General Eisenhower, he did not go to the length of expressing the basic philosophy that it is unadvisable for a military man to sit in the White oHuse in normal times.

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PROGRESSIVE: Governor Earl Warren, of California, continues to insist that he is not hankering after the presidential nomination, and his failure to join the popular hunt for delegates apparently attests to his sincerity. But observent politicos think they detect a slight weakening in his stand, although they are inclined to be overly suspicious and sensitive these days.

FLOWERS FOR THE LIVING
For
IRENE LUCAS
322 Glasgow street
Stowe
BECAUSE she became engaged recently to Mr Melrose Antrim, 311 Glasgow street.

"TOO MANY COOKS!"

Hollywood

By EDITH GWYNN

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 17 — Anna Sten, unseen on screen for many a moon, will play the third leading part in "Lets Live a Little" with Hedy Lamarr and Robert Cummings.

Bob Montgomery

That title is still a tentative one . . . Bob Montgomery, who signed to star in, narrate and be host on the "Suspense" air-show (it runs for an hour) now has big television plans. There'll be some mad doings here a few nights from now when Reg Skelton and Ronald Reagan put on their "Basketball of Laughs." Some of the members of Reg's team are Glenn Ford, Burt Lancaster, Mickey Rooney, Andy Russell and Keenan Wynn. And Reagan has Eddie Bracken, Jackie Coogan, Dennis Day, John Wayne and Jack Carson on his side. There'll be a big show too, and its for the benefit of the Pacific Lodge Boys Home (sponsored by the Kiwanis Club) for which Skelton has already personally done so much.

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THAT DUAL world's premiere of "Arch of Triumph" in Miami and Palm Beach for February 17 was all sold out a week ahead—and with tickets five dollars a throw! Neither Ingrid Bergman nor Charles Boyer, its stars, can be present but the Duke and Duchess of Windsor, Maurice Chevalier, Lucille Ball, Joe Kennedy are among the ducat holders. An electrical impulse from the lights of the Arc de Triumphe in Paris, carried by radio to Florida, will start the projection machine for the picture.

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THE MICKEY ROONEYS say it's a "trial separation. We said it before and now again it's a permanent blitz. Mrs R has been right busy gathering "material (including facts and figures) while Mickey was doing that vaudeville stint in England . . . Paulette Goddard and Buzz Meredith are expected back in the Hollywoods in a few days. They've been making a tour of Europe in behalf of CARE, the American relief organization.

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THAT STORY of Babe Ruth's life has started running in the Saturday Evening Post titled, "My Hits — and My Errors" and the picture starring Bill Bendix, called, "The Babe Ruth Story" will be out about the time that the printed series is finished. Eve Arden asked Bendix, "Is it true you were born in a tough neighborhood?" And Bill answered, "Tough? Why — in our neighborhood a cat with a tail was a tourist!" . . . Darnell suddenly replacing Gene Tierney in "Unfaithfully Yours" (opposite Rex Harrison) cancels out the vacation she and Pev Marley were headed for at their New Mexico hacienda. Any day now, Linda will go back to natural brunette hair. How she hated dying it blonde for "Forever Amber" and she swears, "Never Again!"

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BRUCE CABOT, the big game hunter, is looking for something else right now. He wants to get the rights to the stage play, "Deep Are the Roots" and produce it independently. He's on his way to N. Y. to see about it — and will play a leading role in the film himself if he acquires the show . . . Diana Lynn will make a cross-country piano concert tour early in the Spring . . . Meantime she's striking a lot of new notes with Fred Clark these eves . . . "Gentlemen's Agreement" has won 39 awards to date . . . Pat Wallace (a niece of Jeanette McDonald's) is wearing a big sparkler on the right finger of her left hand, so it looks like wedding bells for Pat and Cornelius Vanderbilt.

How's Your Mind?

THE ANSWER, QUICK!

1. What was a centaur?
2. What is another name for a reef knot?
3. Who invented the system whereby the blind can read through touch?
4. What is the Spanish Main?
5. Who was "Maid Marian?"

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Ex-model Ex-boxer

JOBS UPON A TIME

Hollywood's Joan Leslie modeled for color photography advertising for a camera company before she started her motion picture career. Robert Mitchum, a strapping Hollywood six-footer once swapped punches with other young, ambitious boxers. He toted bales of cotton in New Orleans, sold shoes at a swank shoe emporium. Spotted by a talent scout he was groomed for western movies, played in several, then was cast in the film story of Ernie Pyle's life. He served in the United States Army in World War II.

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MODERN MANNERS

A senator is always introduced as "Senator Jones" whether he is still in office or not but once he is out of office the president of the United States is just "Mister," not Ex-President.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Congratulations to Hollywood's Adolph Menjou who celebrates today, and the same goes for Congressman Frank T. Starkey of Minnesota.

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IT HAPPENED TODAY

Runyan's "Pilgrim's Progress" was published on Feb 18 1678. The Polish astronomer, Copernicus was born on this same date, in 1473. In 1939 the Golden Gate International Exposition opened in San Francisco

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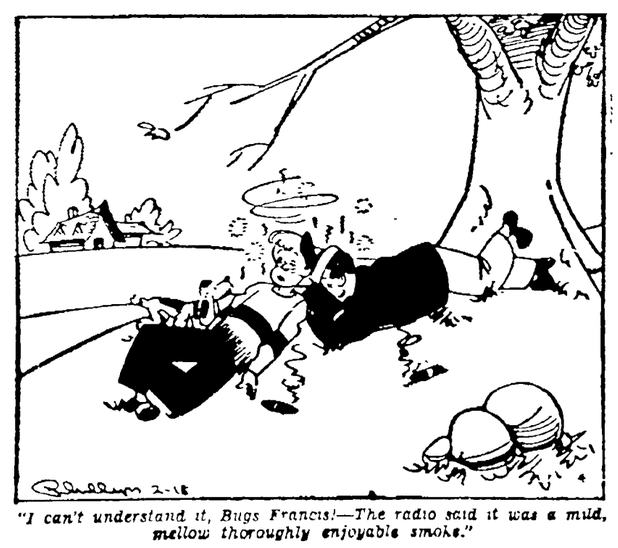
HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?

1. A mythological creature, part man and part horse.
2. A square knot
3. Louis Braille (1809 1852)
4. The southern portion of the Caribbean sea and waters off the contiguous coast of South America — main route of the gold-laden Spanish galleons
5. Robin Hood's sweetheart.

Pottstown Sketches

By PHILLIPS



"I can't understand it, Bugs Francis!—The radio said it was a mild, mellow thoroughly enjoyable smoke."

In Retrospect

50 Years Ago

February 18, 1898

GOLDEN WEDDING—Mr. and Mrs. James H. Lafferty, of 262 King street, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. They were married by the Rev. Edmund Leaf. Mr. Lafferty is a well known tailor.

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FOUND DEAD—The frozen body of Francis Edelman, 51, of 382 New street, was found near the Yost farm east of the borough. He was the victim of a stroke while walking. He conducted a store at South and Franklin streets.

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HORSES IN DEMAND—Horses are in demand. A large sale of equines was held at the Mill Park hotel. They were sold at good prices.

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MILL SHUTS DOWN — A mishap to gas producers at the Ellis and Lessig iron works, West High street, caused a shut-

25 Years Ago

February 18, 1923

WAR ANNIVERSARY—Plans are being made by Funston Camp, United Spanish War Veterans, to observe on April 20th the anniversary of their departure for the Spanish-American War.

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EULOGIZES LINCOLN—Dr J. Hamilton Smith, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, eulogized Abraham Lincoln at the annual banquet of the Young Men's Bible class at the YMCA.

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NEAR EAST RELIEF — The Near East Relief fund was enriched by $69 by Pottstown lodge, Order of Moose. Patrons of the Grand Opera house also donated liberally.

10 Years Ago

February 18, 1938

FARM WORKER KILLED—Henry R. Garber, 57, of Douglassville RD 1, was fatally injured when he was struck by a car while walking on the Douglassville-Amityville road. The vehicle was operated by Charles L. Reinert, Douglassville RD 2.

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FAVORS PUBLIC SPENDING—Governor George H. Earle in an address before the Open Forum in the Junior High school, claimed public spending is needed to save the country.

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PARKING RULES LEGAL—Borough Solicitor John H. Longaker has ruled that the ordinance providing for one-hour parking on High street, between Hanover and Charlotte streets, is legal. Burgess Jesse R. Evans had vetoed the measure, declaring that it was illegal.

Voice of Broadway

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

Speaking for Myself

TO PUT IT as inelegantly as possible, I hope the would-be improvers of the intellectual quality of motion pictures will, in the light of recent events, button up their yaps and take a long vacation from preaching on the failure of film producers to concoct cinema fare commensurate with the elevated I. Q. of the great American public

Sam Goldwyn

The recent events to which I refer are specifically, the production, release and subsequent fate of a movie called "The Bishop's Wife."

Here was no crass pandering to the tastes of the leg-art lovers, the gun fire fans or the corn-ball aficionadas. Here was a film obviously aimed at audiences with intelligence, discrimination and appreciation of humor on the mental rather than the meringue-in-the-face side

So what happened?

The artistic but unhappy producer of the picture, Mr Sam Goldwyn, has just discovered that there ain't no such audience

For years now, almost since movies were in their flickering infancy college professors and letters-to-the-editor writers and even film reviewers in their Sunday pieces have been scolding the moviemakers, asking them why they turn out so many horse oprys and gangster epics and films in which Betty Grable displays her admirable but uneducational thighs

Why don't they get off the beaten track, make pictures for art or the intellect's sake, uplift the people, experiment?

The contention usually is that there is a vast untapped market just waiting for movies on a higher plane.

Uh-uh.

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MR GOLDWYN did the tapping with "The Bishop's Wife." But the audience that presumably had been waiting breathlessly for the finer things in celluloid did not gush forth.

What happened was that the great American public was so afraid a picture called "The Bishop's Wife" might have a lofty theme that they stayed away in droves, despite rave reviews from the critics and the presence in the cast of such box office draws as Cary Grant, Loretta Young, David Niven and Monty Woolley.

The lack of enthusiasm on the part of the ticket-buying public was so marked that Mr. Goldwyn was forced, after the picture was opened and running, to do an almost unprecedented thing:

Change the title to "Cary and the Bishop's Wife" in the hope that it might be mistaken for a "triangle" picture, and conduct an altogether irrelevant advertising campaign full of "Have you heard about Cary and the Bishop's wife?" "Do you know that the whole town's talking about, etc?" in an attempt to convey the impression that this delightful and innocent fantasy was really a pretty spicy bit of celluloid featuring sin and scandal.

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I HAVE IT on very good authority that Mr. Goldwyn made this move with the greatest reluctance, and only after his sales force, a group of realistic gentlemen, had plopped the figures on his desk and said in effect:

"If you want this to be a type of philanthropy, all right. If you are interested in breaking even and maybe making a little profit, better do something."

And so, after considerable conferring, was born "Cary and the Bishop's Wife." Business picked up after the title change, but even so indications are that it will never be what the industry terms a smasheroo despite the fact that it is being mentioned for the Academy Awards, play a leading role in the film himself if he acquires the show . . . Diana Lynn will make a cross-country piano concert tour early in the Spring . . . Meantime she's striking a lot of new notes with Fred Clark these eves . . . "Gentlemen's Agreement" has won 39 awards to date . . . Pat Wallace (a niece of Jeanette McDonald's) is wearing a big sparkler on the right finger of her left hand, so it looks like wedding bells for Pat and Cornelius Vanderbilt.

ALL AROUND THE TOWN

Make Way for Spring!... 'Possum Gets Fill...

HARBINGER — While robins and cardinals are with us all year round, Spring's arrival got an early boost yesterday morning when a dandelion thrust its shining golden crown through the lawn at the Pottstown hospital. Helen Bauer, 604 North Evans street, spotted the herald of the vernal season behind the laundry of the hospital. "There's only one, and it's just in full bloom," she declared . . . But William Snane, Unger orchard employe at Boyertown, injects a sad note when he says the frigid Winter was hard on the peach orchards. "Below zero temperatures killed many a peach tree in the lowlands," he said. Look for a short peach crop this Spring!

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STARTLING SIGHT — Young man, wearing a military jacket, drew startled glances on North Charlotte street. Sewed on the jacket's back were huge white letters "P.W." Prisoner of War? . . . SNAPPY ANSWER — Mercury reporter repeatedly tried to get the Pottstown police station. The operator always replied: "Lines are busy!" Frantically the newsman asked: "What do you do if you need a cop?" Answered the hello girl, "Lean out a window and yell!"

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FRIENDLY — Mrs. Anna Miller, Elverson RD 1, awoke Sunday to see a strange sight. An opossum, probably driven out of the hills because of the lack of food, had wandered into her kitchen through a window she keeps open. There he had eaten his fill from a large can of dog food. In fact, Mrs. Miller said he ate so much that he fell asleep in the can. The quarters were cozy, so Mr. 'Possum hung around all Sunday. Next day Mrs. Miller carried him back to the forest, so he wouldn't be molested by the dogs.

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GRADUATES — Ralph S. Quinter 24 South Franklin street, was graduated from the Peirce School of Business Administration in Philadelphia the past Friday . . . William A. Switzer, Pottstown, was included on the dean's list of students at Franklin and Marshall college, Lancaster, who did exceptional work at school . . . Women approached a counter in a High street department store the other day, told the clerk she wanted "a pair of bloomers to run around her gymnasium." Clerk absent-mindedly asked: "What size is your gymnasium, madam?"

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CALL — It was a happy Valentine's Day for Mr. and Mrs. John T. Rivers when the telephone rang in their St. Peters home and the operator said: "Sgt Lucien Hendricks calling from Tokyo, Japan." Sgt. Hendricks, their foster son, who's been in Japan for three years, just "wanted to tell you I'll be home in about eight months." He's serving with the Army Signal corps in the islands. The sergeant told his parents that it took him about an hour and a half to get his call through—a comparatively short time for overseas connections.

The Worry Clinic

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

JAKE V., 28, has been married three years

"Dr. Crane, about three months ago several of us couples began attending dances together," he began

"After the dance, we'd stop at one home or another for some liquor and sandwiches, and probably some more dancing.

"Sooner or later, some members of the crowd would get soused and sappy. Then they'd want to hug and kiss some other man's wife

"On one occasion I was driving home, with my wife and another girl in front, while there were two fellows and a girl in the back seat.

"Being lonesome one of the men dragged my wife from the front seat over onto his lap. I didn't know until I was almost home that the two couples in the back had been hugging and kissing.

"When I told my wife I didn't approve of such things, she said it was only in fun.

"A few nights ago I had to work on the evening shift. Some of the crowd asked my wife to go on a party that night, and she was eager to accept but I objected saying she'd regret it if she did.

"But she went, anyway. She says she doesn't object to how or when I date another girl, so she feels free to step out when I am at work. But I am not interested in another woman.

"Dr Crane, the girls in that crowd say I am old-fashioned, and they have got my wife to thinking she didn't have enough fun and romance before we got married, so she should be entitled to it now.

"Am I wrong or are they? What would you advise, Dr. Crane?"

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There are occasions in our lives when action may speak louder than words. Christ didn't waste oratory or psychological pleading on the money changers in the Temple, but drove them out with a whip.

Here is a good case where "rugged individualism" is wiser than a communal sharing of one's wife with half a dozen other men in the crowd.

Some women are so dumb or so easily tempted by a few clandestine thrills and stolen kisses that they want to continue playing with fire. And some playboys will impose upon a long suffering husband like Jake as long as he will permit.

Then they quickly resort to that trite defense of accusing the husband of being "old fashioned," if he grows angry.

This is a good case for a left hook to the body and short right to the jaw.

When a wife tells her husband she doesn't mind if he also dates other women, it means what?

Usually that she has already been unfaithful to her husband and is trying to ease what little conscience she still possesses by bringing him to her own level of faithlessness

Don't let immoral sophistry about a wife's having missed some of the romance of her youth, or the accusation of being "old-fashioned," blind your good judgment.

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OBITUARIES

GERALD F. EMES, 55, husband of Aceline (Moser) Emes, of 324 **VINE STREET, STOWE**, died at 10 o'clock yesterday morning in Pottstown hospital, where he had been a patient the past five weeks.

A moulder by trade, he had been employed for many years at the Birdsboro Casting company, and the past six years had worked at the Pottstown Machine company.

He retired the past December because of failing health.

Mr. Emes was born in Pottstown, a son of Frank and Edith (Ludwig) Emes, of 212 Oak street. While a young man his family moved to Stowe, where he had lived since.

In 1919, seven years after he was married, he moved to 324 Vine street.

He was a member of Aerie 626, Fraternal Order of Eagles; Nest 1393, Order of Owls, and the West End Fire company.

Surviving are his wife, his parents, and four daughters: Edith, wife of Peter Grumm, 1127 Industrial avenue; Ellen, wife of Joseph Slavek, at home; Geraldine, wife of Joseph Surman 418 Vine street, Stowe, and Janet, wife of Elmer Wisler, Pottstown RD 4

Also surviving are two brothers, Millard F. Emes, 243 Beech street, and Francis Emes, 344 Lincoln avenue; one sister, Eleanor, wife of George Reed, Orwigsburg, and six grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from a funeral home at 238 Beech street. Officiating will be the Rev Paul C Scheirer, pastor of St. Paul's Reformed church, Stowe

Interment will be made in East Nantmeal Baptist cemetery.

EMMA C. (LONG) GABEL, 67, wife of the late John P. Gabel, died Monday at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs LeRoy L. Gabel, **GREEN LANE RD.**

Born in Upper Hanover township, a daughter of the late Edwin and Lizzie (Moyer) Long, she was a member of St. Marks Lutheran church, Pennsburg.

She is survived by her son; a daughter, Catherine, wife of George E Hallman, Souderton, one brother, Christian Long, East Greenville; two sisters, Mary, wife of George A. Smith Nazareth, and Minnie, wife of William Brightcliffe, Philadelphia; and a grand daughter, Susan Gabel.

All services will be held from a funeral home at 221 Main street, East Greenville, at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon. Interment will be made in the Evangelical cemetery, Zieglerville, the Rev. H. M. Kistler officiating.

Funeral services for **MARY ELIZABETH (VOORHEES) ALBRIGHT**, wife of William H. Albright, of **872 NORTH CHARLOTTE STREET** were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Grace Lutheran church.

The Rev. Asa S Wohlsen, pastor, officiated, and interment was made in Highland Memorial park.

Bearers were Richard Albright, Stephen Matyasovsky, Harold Sloan, Joseph Hurt, George Briener and Fred Morton.

DUMMY OF STALIN HUNG

SEATTLE, Feb 17 (AP)—A stuffed, life-size dummy labeled "Joe Stalin" was found swinging 40 feet beneath Seattle's Aurora bridge early today.

Emmanuel Cub Pack Plans Special Program

Cub Scout Pack 53, of Emmanuel Lutheran church, will observe Father and Son Week with a meeting Thursday night, Feb 26, at 7:30 o'clock in the church recreation room.

Parents as well as the pack members will be invited to attend the meeting, according to W. Elwood Schmearer, attendance committee chairman.

The Cubs will provide their own entertainment, with each Den putting on magic stunts, tricks and puzzles.

LeRoy R Moyer, Cubmaster, will be in charge of the meeting.

Initiation Ceremony Listed by IOOF Unit

Candidates for membership in the Patriarchs Militant, IOOF, from all over the state will be on hand to be initiated tomorrow night at the local Odd Fellows hall.

The occasion is the annual visit to Pennsylvania, this year being made to Pottstown, by the commanding general of all Patriarchs Militant in the world, Gordon E. Wheeler, of Flagstaff, Ariz.

Capt. Charles Kramer, head of the local Canton 6, will direct the initiation degree work which will directly follow a banquet beginning at 7 o'clock.

During and after the initiation the public will be admitted to the social room where cards and games will be played.

Wheeler will arrive in Pottstown in the afternoon from Baltimore.

TWO DIE IN SNOWSLIDE

SEATTLE, Feb. 17 (AP)—A Cascades mountain snowslide killed two persons and demolished eight homes last night as it came close to wiping out the construction camp at the Seattle city light system's Ross dam on the Skagit river.

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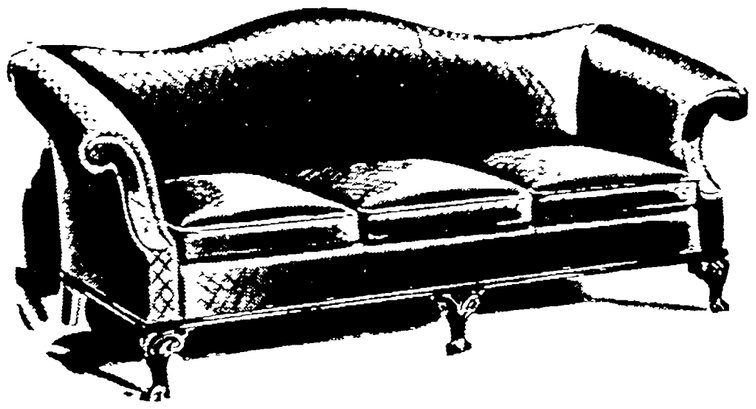

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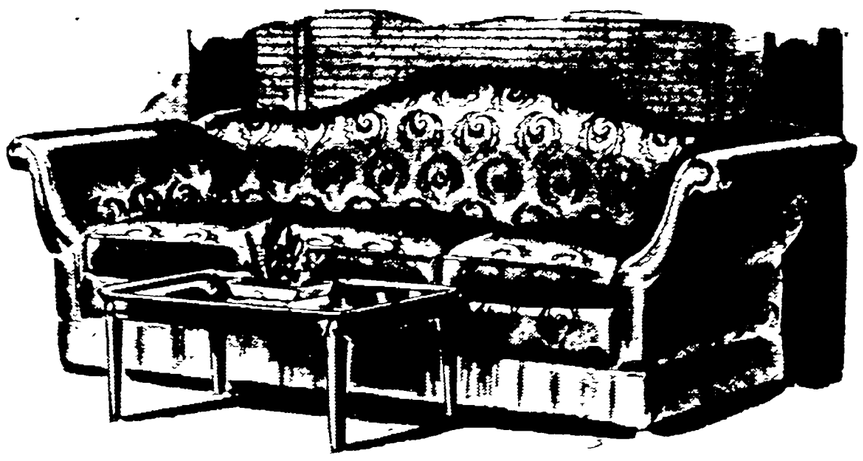

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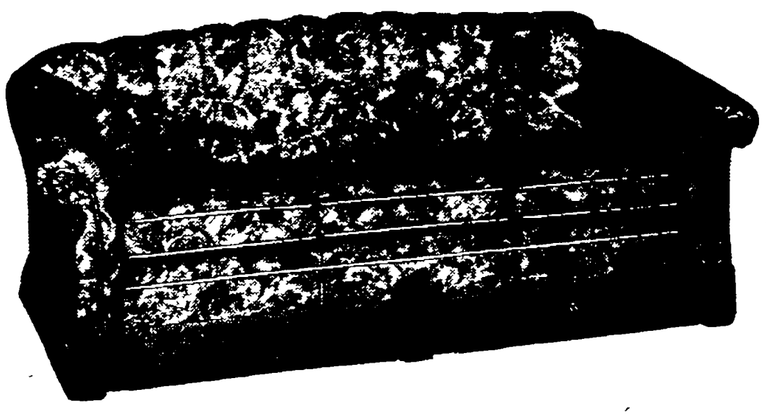

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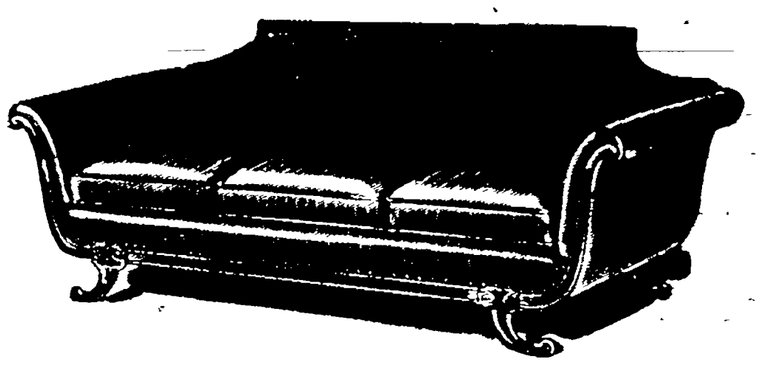

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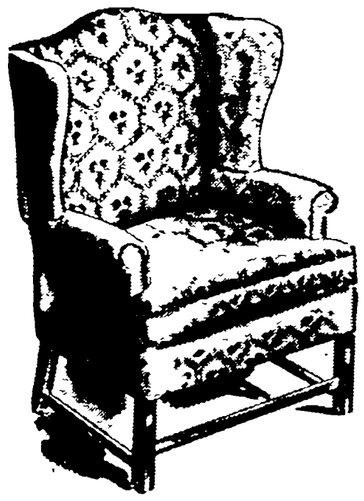

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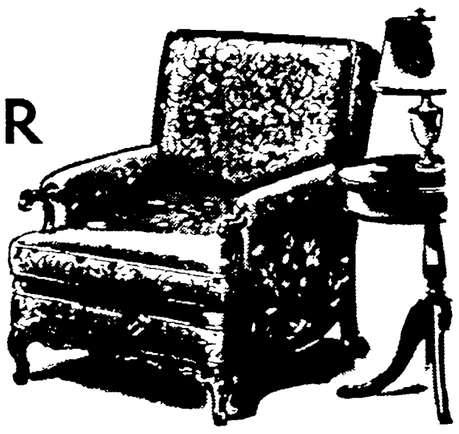

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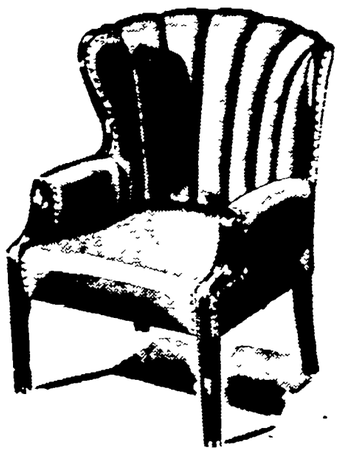

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Burgess Praises Patrol Boy Work; Presents Raincoats

Burgess James A. Fritz presented school boy safety patrol raincoats to Daniel Ritter, captain, representing the Washington school safety patrol, and David Johnson, of Lincoln school patrol, last night at a meeting of Washington School Parent-Teacher association, on behalf of Henry E. Groff, chief of police, the Reading Auto club and three local fraternal and civic organizations which made their purchase possible.

"The boys in town are doing a great job and I congratulate them," said Fritz in making the presentation, as 100 parents, fellow-pupils and friends looked on. The ceremony took place in Washington school library.

Present from Reading to participate in the meeting were Frank Sylvester, of Reading Auto club, and Cpl. Robert Wilt, of West Reading barracks, state police.

Wilt pointed out that the Berks county fatal accident record for 1948 is good thus far, with but four fatalities chalked up. The average for past years has been 50, he said. The state policeman urged driver-training in high schools to reduce accidents among the teen-age group. He said that the age group from 16 to 21 is involved in twice as many accidents as any other age group. "There is no question that speed causes most of our accidents," he also pointed out.

Sylvester emphasized the necessity for freedom from blame in the event of an accident, if the insurance company is expected to pay. He urged parents present to exercise caution, consideration and fair play in their driving.

Sylvester also presented two motion picture films on safe driving practices. Preceding showing of the films, pupils of the fifth grade of the host school presented several short plays and songs to demonstrate safety rules in the home and on the street. They were under the direction of Mrs. Allene Muthard, teacher.

A five-way tie developed in the contest to get the most parents out to the meeting representing one grade. Kindergarten, second, third, fifth and sixth grades each had ten parents represented and it was announced at the meeting that treats would be given to all five grades.

Mrs. Arthur Schearer, president, presided. Mrs. Daniel Landis, program chairman, presented the features on the program.

Boyertown Classified

Deaths 1

BAUS—In Boyertown, on Sunday, Feb. 15, 1948, Harris R. Baus, husband of Lulu E. (Eddinger) Baus, aged 55 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Schwenk Funeral home, 124 W. Philadelphia Ave., Boyertown, on Thursday at 2 p. m. Interment in Fairview cemetery, Boyertown. Friends may call Wednesday evening 7 to 9. (Schwenk)

SANDS—In Englesville, on Friday, Feb. 13, 1948, Charles S. Sands, husband of Bertha (Dellecker) Sands, aged 76 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Schwenk Funeral Home, 124 W. Philadelphia Ave., Boyertown, on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Interment in Union cemetery. Friends may call Tuesday 7 to 9 p. m. (Schwenk)

Notice 7-A

Boyertown Drum and Bugle corps card party has been postponed from Feb. 18, 1948 to a future date. COMMITTEE.

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MEETINGS

Mid-week Lenten service in Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed, tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

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Mid-week Lenten service in St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Subject, "Remembrance."

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Boyertown board of school directors tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the high school.

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Boyertown Civil Air Patrol tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the high school.

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Popodickon Tribe 338, Improved Order of Red Men, tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Keystone Fire company.

Students Contribute To March of Dimes

Students of Boyertown schools contributed $146.69 to the 1948 March of Dimes, it was announced yesterday at the high school.

The high school accounted for $85.81, of which $62.23 was given by students in homerooms and $23.13 collected at a basketball game. Lincoln school pupils contributed $34.58, while those in Washington school gave $26.30. The amount was given to the local committee.

Homerooms in the high school contributed as follows: 7-A and B, $2.61; 8-A, $2.35; 8-B, $1.61; 9-A, $2.72; 9-B, $2.52; 9-C, $5.15; 9-D, $4; 10-A, $1.56; 10-B, $4.41; 10-C, $3.50; 10-D, $3.37; 11-A, $3.75; 11-B, $3.90; 11-C, $7.44; 12-A, $6; 12-B, $1.70, and 12-C, $5.20.

Daniel Bause Named To Assistance Board

Daniel E. Bause, 42 East Philadelphia avenue, was one of six persons from Berks county to be installed as a member of the Berks county board of assistance for a three-year term in Reading by Frank A. Robbins Jr., secretary of the Pennsylvania department of public assistance, and Robert P. Wray, deputy secretary.

Percy F. Hess, of Hamburg, was named chairman; John F. McGlinn, Reifflton, vice chairman, and Edward L. Seasholtz, Pennside, secretary. Other members are Mrs. Francesca E. Hartman, Reading, Darrell O. Smith, Reading, and Bause.

One of the first acts of the new board was to restore the executive directorship of the organization to Frank P. Innis, Reading, who was granted a leave of absence in 1942 to serve as an overseas field director with the American Red Cross.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Among marriage licenses recently applied for in Reading is that of Curtis H. Rohrbach and Betty J. Lukens, both of Gilbertsville.

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Lions Club to Make Good Neighbor Award

Boyertown's good neighbor award will be made tomorrow night at the Lions club's annual variety program in the high school at 8 p. m.

Based on a letter written by a citizen of the community, the good neighbor is chosen by a committee of club members. Russell Schaeffer, committee chairman, said last night that one has been chosen and identity will be revealed tomorrow night. Mrs. Warren G. Grofe, 35 East Philadelphia avenue, was named to the high honor last year.

Other prizes will be awarded for the most comical hat, the longest run in a ladies' stocking, the oldest lady present and the baldest man. A local jeweler has donated a special prize of a $100 diamond ring.

Schaeffer said last night that a total of 57 prizes will be given, totalling $400 in value. The club will use proceeds from the affair for community service projects.

High School Notes

The public is invited to hear the three-way panel discussion on compulsory arbitration today at 1:15 p. m. in the high school auditorium. Boyertown participants will be Catherine Stoudt and Harold Weiss. The panel moves to Amity High school tomorrow at 1:45 p. m. and to Birdsboro on Friday at 1:45 p. m.

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Ninth grade pupils in the homeroom of Mrs. Josephine B. Bierly purchased United States Savings bonds and stamps totaling $22.50 yesterday to top the list in the high school. Eleventh graders in Chester W. Rohrbach's room were second with $16.30.

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Members of the Senior class held a meeting yesterday morning.

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Mrs. Martha G. Christman, of the home economics department, will be in charge of Friday's student assembly program in the auditorium. Dress rehearsal for a play, "Wonder Girl," will be held today at 1:15 p. m.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Anna Adams, 515 East Philadelphia avenue, is visiting for a week with her son-in-law and daughter, the Rev. and Mrs. George W. Fritch and family, in Scranton.

Gilbertsville Scouts Plan Pilgrimage To Valley Forge

Boy Scouts of Troop 1 Gilbertsville will be among more than 5000 scouts of Valley Forge district who will make their annual pilgrimage to the historic shrine from which their name is taken on Saturday.

The Gilbertsville boys will leave at 8 a. m. from the home of Donald Kastle in Gilbertsville. Preparatory to the trip, Roy Geiger, assistant scoutmaster, spoke to troop members at the regular meeting the past Monday night on what Valley Forge means to the council and the trials of Washington at the historic shrine.

Plans were also started at the meeting for the troop's annual charter night, which will be held in the form of a covered dish social in the Gilbertsville fire hall on Saturday, March 20. Serving on the program committee are J. Russell Geiger Sr. and Russell Hollowbush. Awards for the past four months will be made and troop officers installed.

Several scouts will receive honors at the public court of honor tomorrow at 7:30 p. m. in borough hall, Pottstown.

The troop expressed thanks to Donald Schwebel, troop committeeman, for helping to make Gilbertsville's exhibit at the merit badge show in Pottstown outstanding. It was pointed out that the local exhibit was the only one in which spectators could participate. Schwebel, assisted by troop members, set up a hand printing press, on which were printed cards which bore the name of the troop, first class insignia and names of troop officers.

Kastle, the scoutmasters; Geiger, assistant scoutmaster, and Earl Seasholtz, also an assistant scoutmaster, presided at the troop meeting.

Girl Scouts Given Lesson in Knitting

The Girl Scouts, Troop 72, of Colebrookdale, held their regular meeting last night at 7 p. m. at the Colebrookdale consolidated school.

After the business session, lessons in knitting were given to members of the troop by Mrs. Helen Saddler, leader, and Mrs. Henrietta Leach, assistant leader. The meeting closed with the singing of taps.

Present were Mary Ann Adams, Gail Neiman, Phyllis Schaeffer, Shirley Minner, June Mauger, Rochelle Leach, Joan Fritz, Shirley Frain, Delores Houck, Geraldine Eck, Lois Heffner, Mrs. Leach and Mrs. Saddler.

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The members of St. Paul's Lutheran church choir and their friends enjoyed a trip to Philadelphia to hear the St. Olaf's choir concert in the Baptist Temple.

The flowers in the altar vases of St. Paul's Lutheran church, were presented in memory of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Freed by the Freed family.

The Young Women's circle met recently at the home of the Rev. H. H. Krauss. At the meeting the young women packed a package to send to the Virgin Islands for the needy. The topic for the evening was "The United Nations—Why Support It?" The leader was Mrs. Earnest Brendlinger.

Lenten services were started in St. Paul's Lutheran church with the following topic, "The Lenten Challege." The pastor is the Rev. H. G. Krauss. The topic for next Sunday will be, "The Lenten Command."

The Week-of-Prayer given by the Women's Missionary society and the Young Women's circle of St. Paul's Lutheran church will take place this week. The following will be given each night The main topic for the week will be "Ask In Name."

Today the topic for the evening will be "Greater Works Than These." The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Irvin Brey, Main street, Red Hill. Mrs. Roy Hendricks and Mrs. Anna Gonzler will be leaders.

Tomorrow "Testimony of Faith" is the topic for the evening. The place is the home of Winifred Freed, Main street, Red Hill. The leader will be Mrs. William Xander.

Friday, this meeting will take place at the home of Mrs. Edwin Schoenly, East Greenville. The topic for the evening will be "Keep Asking." Mrs. Louise Trumbore will lead.

Mrs. Paul Schwenk and son returned home from the Sellersville hospital Monday night.

Mrs. Linford Hagey and children, Mildred, Linford Jr., Kenneth and Doris, of Elroy, spent Sunday with Mrs. Hagey's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Schwenk.

Mr. Claude Freed, Main street, returned home recently after spending a few days in Pittsburgh on a business trip.

Mrs. Calvin Reed, Mrs. Earnest Brendlinger and Mrs. Edna Miller, of Red Hill, and Mrs. Augustus Schwenk, of Pennsburg, visited Mrs. Linford Hagey, Elroy, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Eck are living with Mr. Eck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Eck, Main street.

Miss Anna Butterweck, Third street, spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Yerger, Pennsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Piepszowski and son Paul, Adam street, visited Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Piepszowski, Camden, N. J.

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The seriously ill child is Ann Gambal, daughter of an Old Forge war veteran. She has been in Jefferson hospital here since Jan. 21 but the need for the blood did not arise until her condition changed recently.

Upon arrival of the blood, she was given an emergency transfusion. Physicians, however, made no immediate comment on her condition.

The blood—about 500 cubic centimeters—was obtained through the efforts of the Southeastern Pennsylvania and Newark, N. J., chapters of the American Red Cross. It was supplied by a blood bank at Essex, N. J.

EXPLOSION KILLS FOUR

KINGSPORT, Tenn., Feb. 17 (AP)—Four men were killed and nine injured when a concrete and steel roof of an automobile sales building under construction collapsed today.

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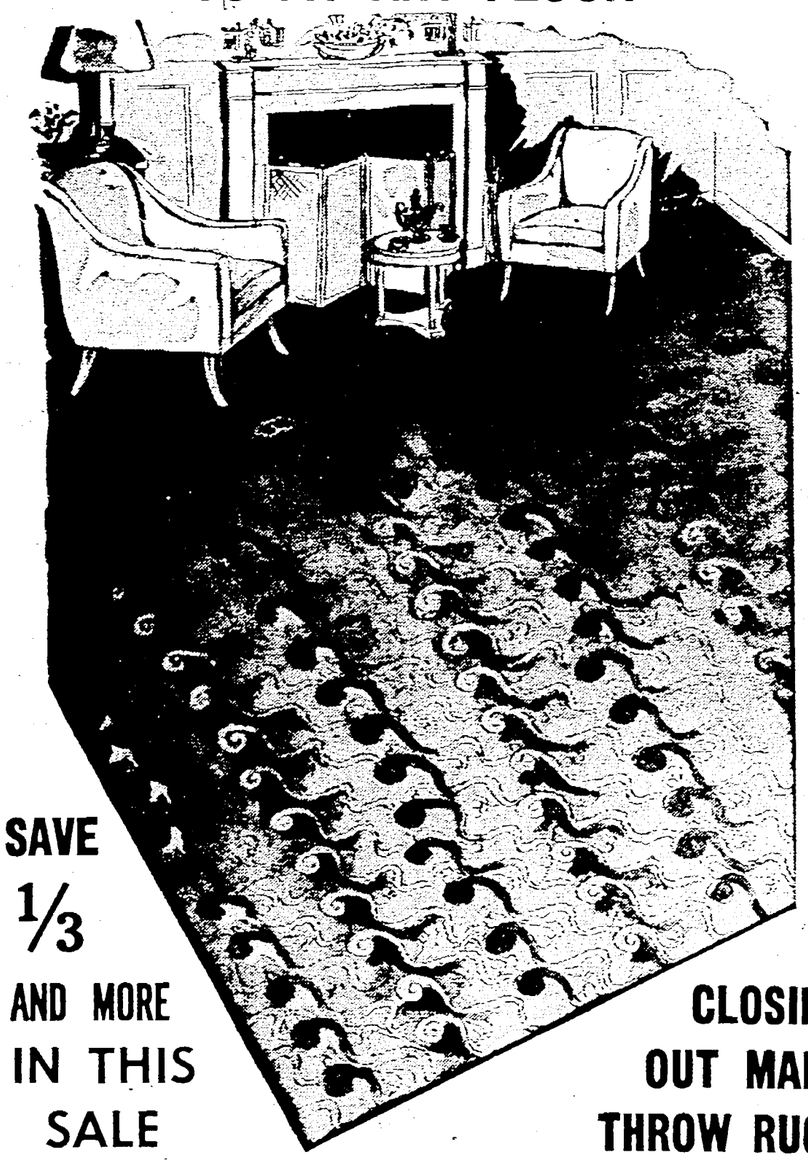

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Royersford Public Library to Celebrate 50th Anniversary at Open House Event

An Open House, reception and fitting program have been arranged to mark the 50th anniversary of the founding of Royersford Free Public library, which will take place one week from tonight, from 8 to 10 p m

Wednesday, Feb 25 will be a half century since the reading institution was organized, in 1898. One of the original and the only surviving member of the first board of trustees, the Rev. William G Nyce, pastor of Harmonyville Church of the Brethren, has been invited as a special guest

Organizations of the community and the churches have been invited to send representatives to join in the program. Exhibits of interest dating back to the first days will be displayed and refreshments will be served by the Girl Scouts.

Mrs. Joseph A. Buckwalter, president of the board of trustees, has put forth efforts to have greetings from former officers and friends of the library

Mrs David E Finkbiner, vice-president of the board, will relate a history of the library over a Norristown radio station next Monday, at 1:05 o'clock

Miss Katharine F Hawkins, librarian since 1934, has been responsible for much of the growth and many of the innovations in the library. Visualizing still greater progress and another innovation, Miss Hawkins now has uppermost in mind another project, that of providing victrola records, if this proposal meets with the approval of the board of trustees.

Miss Hawkins prepared for her career at Goucher college Baltimore, Md., Pennsylvania State college and the School of Library Science at Drexel institute

Aside from her pursuit of her duties as librarian, she also has evinced public spiritedness in a quiet manner, was president of the Woman's club of Royersford from 1938 to 1941 and of the Junior Red Cross 1943 and 1944. At the present she also is aiding in the Montgomery county Central district drive for funds for a Girl Scout camp.

A movement for a library in Royersford had its inception through the efforts of the late John S. Mansur, who was secretary of the board of education of the public schools

The first board of trustees consisted of Charles F McKee, U.S.G Finkbiner, William G. Nyce, Addison A. Murray, Frank S Brown, William Haggerty, George Bowman and Mr Mansur. Bowman was president of the board of education.

The present board comprises Mrs. Buckwalter, president; Mrs. Finkbiner, vice-president; Mrs. Henry Graber, Mrs. Carl B. Merz, Mrs. Mary L. Latshaw, Thomas D. Evans, Paul S. Krasley and Donald G. Maier.

Located first in the Adams school building for two years, during 1898 and 1899, the library since has been located in three other locations from 1899 to 1924, in the former YMCA room in Latshaw's hall, from 1924 to 1930, in the former Wesleyan Bible class club rooms in the rear of Latshaw's hall, and since 1930 in the present room, the elementary school building, Fourth avenue and Washington street.

The first librarian was Miss Louisa Kaltenbach, 1898 to 1910, who was succeeded in order by Miss Gladys Johnson, 1910 and 1911, Miss Ethel Buzby 1911 to 1915; Mrs. Marion Emmers 1915 to 1917, Miss Buzby, 1917 to 1919; Miss Elsie DeWalt, 1919 to 1934, and then Miss Hawkins, the incumbent

The library has grown in circulation from 947 volumes in 1900 to nearly 6000

Officers Re-elected By Community Chest

Spring City Community chest reorganized by re-electing all officers at a meeting Monday night

George Littlefield was named a delegate-at-large to succeed Harry W Maloy, who moved from town. Officers re-elected were

Charles H Custer president, B Robert Schindler, vice-president; Mrs W Paul Youngblud secretary, and Mrs James Fletcher, treasurer. Directors re-elected were W Paul Youngblud, G Norman Benjamin, George Wiessner, Charles Barndt, Schindler and Claude B. Wagoner.

LEGION UNIT TO MEET

The Ladies' aid of Walter Caffrey American Legion post, Spring City, will have a monthly meeting tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the post house. Guest box donors are Mattie Shenafield, Naomi Mosteller, Mrs Elliott and Esther Deisner.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Ronald Donohue, Spring City was admitted to Phoenixville hospital. Robert Bergstresser, Royersford, and Mrs Walter Jones Spring City, were discharged.

Spring City Couple Fetes Nurse at Party

Mr. and Mrs James S Hewitt, 360 Ridge avenue, Spring City, gave a surprise dinner-party in honor of Miss Edyth N Hewitt, who recently completed her training at the Memorial hospital School of Nursing, Wilmington, Del.

In keeping with Valentine day, the centerpiece on the attractively-decorated table was formed of red and white carnations, with red hearts leading to each guest. A full course turkey dinner was served.

Guests attending were Miss Hewitt and George W Moffitt Jr, Wilmington, Del; Mrs M. Alice Hewitt, Miss Bette Hewitt, Mr and Mrs John Erwin Hewitt and Boboy, Spring RD 1

Also Mrs Esther Holland, Mr and Mrs Elmer G Clayton, West Chester, Mr and Mrs Gile W Trythall, Doris and Richard Trythall, Pottstown RD 2, Rachel C Llewellyn and Buddy, Phoenixville; Mrs Earl Heffentrager, Miss Helen Moses, Limerick, Miss Mary Hewitt, Atlantic City, N J; Miss Ruthie Virginia Hewitt and Mr. and Mrs. James S Hewitt.

Royersford Legion Aids Scout Campaign

A membership of 247 was reported at a monthly meeting of Capt Harris Buckwalter American Legion post, Royersford, Monday night in the post house. The post ordered donations to the Girl Scout campaign fund for a Summer camp and to the Soldiers' Orphans school sponsored by the State department of the American Legion, at Scotland, Franklin county.

ROAD REPAIRS —

(Continued From Page One)

said settling of earth in such diggings was to be expected during a thaw. While no-parking signs were posted, his men put in a temporary filling after the earth had settled nearly four feet. Early this morning the earth had settled another foot in two spots, jolting unwary drivers

Facing the same problem as Albright, Sears said no permanent repairs could be undertaken until early Spring

Hilldale Youngsters Treated, See Movies

Movies and ice cream and cake. A youngster couldn't ask for much more.

That is what 76 Hilldale members of the grade school set got yesterday afternoon as the Salvation Army held an attendance party for pupils of the "Army's" Sunday school there

There were four animated cartoons, "Mickey's Wild Dream" and "Mickey and the Cannibal Capers," starring the greatest mouse in the world, and "Three Little Bruins in a Canoe" and "Jack Frost" besides

Just to keep the hands comfortably sticky and the belt distended during the show, an ice cream cup, a chocolate cup cake and a chocolate bar were passed out to every one beforehand

On top of that, five youngsters were awarded one-pound boxes of candy by Capt Meral Cox for bringing new members into the Sunday school

The recipients were Wilson Carter, Carrie and Darleen Barton and Shirley and Jessie Barnes.

Next Sunday at a regular 1 30 p m meeting of the Sunday school in the village's administration building, Capt. Cox will take color movies of the children entering and leaving school.

He will show the films at the next attendance party, he said, which he hopes will be next month.

The school is open to all Hilldale residents of any color, race, faith or age, Cox declared "Anyone from 1 to 99 is welcome," he said.

TEHRAN SEEKS ARMS

TEHRAN, Iran, Feb 17 (AP) — Parliament adopted tonight a bill providing for the purchase of $10,000,000 in arms and ammunition from the United States

Army Reserve Unit Lists Promotions

Promotions, lectures and films marked last night's meeting of two Pottstown units of the Army Reserve in the YMCA building.

At the gathering of Battery A, 904th Field Artillery battalion, Lt L C MacMullen, executive officer, announced the following promotions:

Pfc Ivan B Leaman, 541 High street, to corporal, T/5 David R. Williams, 566 West street, to T/4 and T/5 Ellsworth L. Miller, 29 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, to sergeant.

First Sgt Carrol Harp instructed the unit on operation of military radio sets while Lt. MacMullen spoke on radio communications systems in an artillery battalion.

Present at the meeting was Lt. Col Kenneth J Tarves, Mt Penn, commanding officer of the 904th.

At the meeting of the 236th Organized Reserve Composite group, lectures on map-reading and aerial photography were given by Lt. Col. Fred Norton, Pottstown RD 4, and Capt George K. Campbell, 1150 High street

The lectures were followed by a film depicting high points in the history of the 1st Infantry division

Next month's meeting will be held March 16 when Maj Earl Bishop, 1461 Cherry lane, will speak on the organization of staff functions.

SALFORDVILLE

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A Parent - Teacher association meeting will be held tomorrow night at 7 45 o'clock in the Pike school The speaker will be Dr Allen Harman, assistant county superintendent and PTA representative

Aaron Kline is a patient in the Pottstown hospital.

Edna, Ronald and Gwendolyn Freed have been on the sick list.

Mrs Z S Bucher and daughter, Esther Hepler visited Mrs Bucher's mother, Mrs Caroline Alderfer of Souderton RD. Mrs Alderfer had been ill but is improving

Miss Dolores Beck was entertained by her parents over the weekend.

Boy Scouts Set for Annual Pilgrimage To Valley Forge; Camping Trip Planned

With the merit badge show behind them, Pottstown area Boy Scout troops at their meetings Monday night turned their attention to the next big event of the Winter calendar — Pilgrimage to Valley Forge on Saturday.

Most of the local troops will send two representatives to the pre-Pilgrimage camping trip the previous night, while all plan to send between six and 16 scouts to the annual event.

Highlights of the Pilgrimage will be speeches by State officials and senior scout leaders; the cooking of the noon meal under similar conditions to those experienced by Washington's troops, and a tour of the historic shrines at Valley Forge.

Local troops also were planning for the monthly Boy Scout Court of Honor to be held tomorrow night in borough hall. The event, which was postponed a week because of the armory show, will be marked by the announcement of the troop to win the prize for having the greatest number of guests at the Merit Badge show.

Arthur Jacob, senior patrol leader of Troop 15, was presented the Gold palm to his Eagle Scout badge by Scoutmaster Raymond Stichter at the troop's covered dish social attended by 45 scouts, and parents

The award was made in Searles Memorial Methodist church. Stichter pointed out that the Gold palm is won only after the scout has earned ten more merit badges than required for Eagle rank, and has served for 12 additional months.

Bertram Scanlin, neighborhood commissioner, presented the troop's charter at the affair, which was sponsored by the Women's auxiliary and added more than $10 to the troop treasury.

Richard Rose was welcomed to the troop and it was announced that Rose, together with Ralph Hoagey and Paul Worrall, will participate in the investiture of new scouts to be held in Valley Forge chapel during the Pilgrimage

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Two new assistant scoutmasters, Stanley Boyer and Richard Fry, were installed officially at the meeting of Stowe Troop 1. The ceremonies in St. Paul's Reformed church were in charge of Scoutmaster Paul Miller.

The troop decided that either 15 or 16 scouts would go to the Pilgrimage, including the pre-Pilgrimage delegates, Laverne Gaugler and Edwin Corley.

The troop will leave the church at 8 o'clock Saturday morning. The meeting ended with a game of "Steal the Book."

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Troop 18's inter-patrol contest is warming up, Scoutmaster Edward Jameson announced at the meeting in Grace Lutheran church. The Wolf patrol is still leading the contest, which is based on all-around scouting achievement, but the Panther patrol is at the wolf's door, having narrowed the gap to 40 points

And Bruce Roberts still leads the individual contest, for the third straight week, but he is getting keen competition from William Mohn, who netted 20 points the past week by obtaining a new uniform, and ten points for passing his thrift test.

Jameson announced that the troop will send 11 boys to the Pilgrimage and four to the Court of Honor. The meeting concluded with the showing of two reels of sports sound film, exhibited by Walter Wetherhold, troop committeeman.

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Gene Shellenberger, scoutmaster of Troop 4, announced his unit will send at least 12 scouts to the Pilgrimage, in addition to Walter Sypnard and Bert O'Connell, who will be the troop's pre-Pilgrimage delegates

The meeting attended by 13 scouts Methodist church Saturday morning at 8 45 o'clock in cars furnished by the troop committee.

The meeting attended by 13 scouts was devoted mainly to passing of second class tests and a game of volley ball

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Deaths 1

GARBER—In Carnegie, Pa., on Sunday, Feb 15 1948, Elizabeth, widow of Edward Garber. Friends of the family may call at the Nelson Funeral Home, 331 New St., Spring City, on Wednesday from 1 to 2 p m. Interment Bethel cemetery

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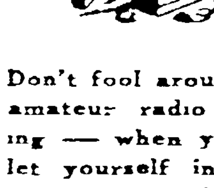
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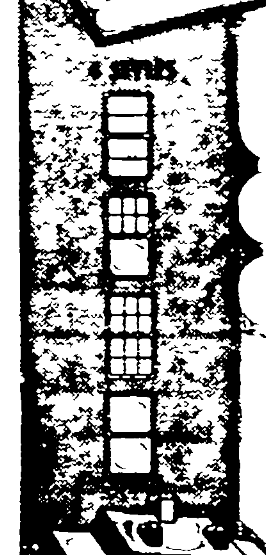

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Sixth Grade Lincoln Students Present Plan at PTA Founder's Day Celebration

"PTA Corner Stones" was the title of a play prepared by Sixth grade students of the Lincoln building for the annual Founder's Day celebration held last night by the Parent-Teacher association.

The cast of characters included: Georganne Jacobs, Joan Seidel, Joyce Haury, Joan Yost, Barbara Baldwin and Linda Kulp with Miss Marlin Ellis giving the vocal selection of the play. This was under the direction of the teachers of the grades, Mrs. Erna Engels and Mrs. Myrtle Gerhart. Mrs. James Johnson, president of the PTA, responded to the query of the characters in the play as to the spirit of the PTA.

During the business session, a recommendation was passed to the effect that the Lincoln building would again co-operate with the Recreation commission of the borough towards allowing the use of equipment and space for recreational facilities this Summer.

Three noted lecturers from Philadelphia addressed the group during the program which followed the theme, "Your Child's Health."

Miss Martha Gable, special assistant of the division of physical education in Philadelphia, chose the portion of "Correct Posture" in discussion. In part she told the group that in order for a person to have perfect health he should learn to sit straight, walk straight and think straight. In assuming correct posture he will eliminate many of the aches and pains of life.

Dr. Ruth Weaver, assistant director of medical services in Philadelphia, spoke on the need of medical examinations by the school children. She told the group that since the State compelled periodic examinations, many misfits in schools have been brought back to perfect health.

She continued by pointing out cases of curvature of the spine, flat feet and the like which have completely recovered following proper treatment after the full knowledge of the condition was known. Her talk was illustrated with pictures showing the cases which had responded to treatment. Most of these children without the first physical examination would have been doomed to follow through life without aid.

Dr. Rachel Winlock, psychiatrist of the Child Health society, Philadelphia, used as her theme "Why Behaviour Problems?" She told members that 90 percent of the missing persons of the State are children who have a distaste for school and have run away because of dissention there. She asked both parents and teachers to reach down to the child's level of understanding rather than ask him to climb up to theirs. She further advised that sometimes they show the child praise for his good efforts as well as condemnation for his vices.

The hospitality committee, Mrs. Harold Reitnauer, chairman, was in charge of the refreshments of which the huge blue and gold founder's day birthday cake was the main item.

HOSPITALS

POTTSTOWN

Admitted: John Lewis, 557 Water street, surgical; Hunter Templin, 164 Grant street, surgical; Raymond Centini, Lancaster, surgical; Mildred Zimmer, Boyertown, medical; Jose R. Novo, Bramcote hotel, surgical; Edith Essick, Warwick Settlement, surgical; Strickland Guest, Pottstown RD 2, surgical; Flossie Lafferty, 264 Beech street, surgical; Mary Gofus, Stowe, surgical; Louis Kruk, Douglassville RD 1, surgical; Allie Herron, 622 Willow street, medical; Sarah Stahley, Royersford, surgical; Mrs. Betty Underkoffler, Douglassville RD 1, maternity; Mrs. Mildred Mouler, 36 East Third street, maternity; Mrs. Shirley Lupoid, Pottstown RD 3, maternity; Peter Dolas, YMCA building, medical; Benjamin Stankunas, Stowe, surgical; Mary Walker, Linfield, surgical; Mary Bertolet, 4 West Fourth street, surgical; Mrs. Edith Moyer, New Berlinville, maternity; Mrs. Laura Hawkins, Pottstown RD 2, maternity; Frank Sell, Bally, surgical.

MEMORIAL

Admitted: Mrs. Margaret Wilcox, Boyertown, maternity; Mrs. Marie Bolonski, Stowe, maternity; Mrs Irene Hallman, Hilldale, maternity; Carrol Roussey, Royersford, medical; Paul A. Keller, 858 North Franklin street, surgical; Emily Platt, Parkerford, medical.

Discharged: Mrs. Anna Quigley, Boyertown, surgical; Mrs. Eleanor Patrick, 382 New street, maternity; Mrs. Bessie Powell, Royersford, maternity; Mrs. Margaret Peck, Pottstown RD 1, maternity; Jesse L. Kenworthy Jr., Coatesville, medical; Carlo Cotellese, 220 South street, surgical; Susan DuBois, Atlantic City, N. J., medical.

Rupert PTA to Hear Mr. Isaac Thomas Speak

Mr. Isaac Thomas, of The Hill, will speak on "World Understanding" tomorrow night at 8 o'clock when the Rupert Parent Teacher association will observe Founder's Day in the activity room of the school building.

Movies will be shown and refreshments will be served by the hospitality committee, Mrs. Sidney Pollock, chairman.

CLUB NEWS

Woman's Page

WEDDINGS

YOUR BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARIES

TODAY'S HOROSCOPE

THIS BIRTHDAY is good for creative pursuits, for developing ideas, and for increasing your popularity with a loved one and those in your social circle. It appears that your year will be somewhat dull and inactive, apart from intellectual activities. Be sure to exercise care and discretion when dealing with employers and those in authority, and tone up your health.

Today

Edmund Sobresky Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Sobresky, 343 Johnson street.

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Mary Sikora, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sikora, 1106 Center avenue.

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Joanne Schutz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schutz, 1015 Queen street.

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Mrs James Carr, 119 North Washington street.

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William A. Hagy, 364 North York street.

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Raymond W Keeler, Pear Dale farm, Pottstown RD 2, aged 22 years

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Donald Vincent Loudis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Loudis, Linfield, aged eight years.

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Arline Yanos, 334 Vine street, aged 16 years.

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Libby Staub, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Staub, 425 Water street.

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Douglas Rightmour, son of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Rightmour, 54 South Hanover street.

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Dorothea Matyko, 323 Cherry street.

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Virginia Ruth Brunner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brunner, Pottstown RD 3.

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Mary Kay Rettew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Rettew, 1407 Cherry Lane.

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Marie Ann Iswalt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Joseph M. Iswalt, 432 South street.

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Gerald Fryer, son of Mr and Mrs. Gerald Fryer, 129 South Keim street.

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Patricia Karpinski, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Peter Karpinski, 370 Cherry street.

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Mary Ann Will, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Will, 808 North Charlotte street.

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Katie Skean, 618 Race street, Stowe.

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Mrs. Raymond Kulp, Pottstown RD 3.

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Vicki Moyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moyer, Parkerford, aged two years.

Yesterday

Mrs. Joseph Reiter, Glasgow street, Stowe.

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Raymond Seyler, 105 Walnut street, Stowe.

New Drape

Gown—Actress Barbara Bates wears pearl gray crepe afternoon gown with top of yellow and green floral print.

Dr. Everett to Speak At Red Cross Meeting

A dinner meeting of the Pottstown Junior Red Cross will be held at the YWCA at 5.30 o'clock tonight, it was announced yesterday.

Representatives of all Junior Red Cross units in the Pottstown area will attend.

Dr. Samuel Everett, director of the Junior Red Cross, Southeastern Pennsylvania chapter, and Marguerite Nace, in charge of production for the Southeastern chapter, will be guest speakers at the meeting.

Mrs. Sadie Kamins Installs Officers Of Ladies' Auxiliary

Installation of officers was held Monday night at the community center by the ladies auxiliary of the Jewish War Veterans with Mrs. Sadie Kamins, president of the department of Pennsylvania JWV auxiliary, in charge.

Miss Lillian Raden was installed president of the order. Other officers installed were Mrs. Morton Schonberger, junior vice president; Miss Geraldine Leblang, secretary; Miss Agnes Prince, treasurer; Miss Frances Princenthal, financial secretary; Mrs. Jacob Raden, Mrs. David Kessler and Mrs. Abe Cohen, trustees; Mrs Lewis Friedman, conductress; Mrs. Hilary Printz, patriotic instructress; Mrs. Rose Greenberg, chaplain and Mrs. Mertin Stein, guard.

Mrs. Fannie Braumich, hospital chairman of the department of Pennsylvania JWV, described to the members what the State hospital committee is doing in regards to helping wounded and disabled men in hospitals—she told of the parties—gifts and small things which made their lives easier — and highlighted future projects and plans which are in the making.

Mr. Robert Miller, president of the JWV post, asked the help of the auxiliary for the first annual function of the order to be held April 18. This will include a name band and floor show.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs Dell Printz, Mrs. Millie Rosen, Mrs. Bertna Stein, Mrs Bertha Fuerman, Mrs. Rosalyn Hoffman, Mrs. Lillian Raden and Miss Agnes Prince.

The next meeting will be held March 15.

Mr. Wayne Smith Feted On Birthday Anniversary

Mr. Wayne Smith, son of Mr. Enos Smith, Pottstown RD 3, was pleasantly surprised recently when a party was staged in honor of his birthday anniversary by a group of his friends.

A luncheon was served and a large pink and white cake served as the centerpiece on the attractively-decorated table.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hartenstine, Mr. and Mrs. John Buchert and Mrs. Wayne Smith and children, Carl, Nancy, Rosalie, Marlene and Ronald.

Social Calendar

The Lady Orioles—Meeting tonight in the Orioles home. Officers will be dressed in white.

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The North Coventry Women's Christian Temperance union—Meeting tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. George Mohler, near Parkerford.

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The Century club — Meeting this afternoon at 2:15 o'clock in Library hall.

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The Women's Missionary society of Emmanuel Lutheran church — Meeting held at the church at 2 30 o'clock. The theme is "Greater Works Than These". Leader, Mrs. LeRoy Moyer.

Former Pottstown Girl Marries In East Orange

Mrs. F. Louis Smith, 42 East Fifth street, announced the marriage of her sister, the former Pauline D. Yocom, to Mr. John W. Hammell, East Orange, N. J., Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the First Reformed church in East Orange.

Preceding the double ring ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. Van De Vere, a recital of bridal music was presented.

The bride was married in a suit of grey sharkskin with black and white accessories. At her shoulder she wore a corsage of gardenias. Her sister, Mrs. Smith, was her attendant and wore a grey wool suit with brown and yellow accessories. Her corsage was of Talisman roses.

Serving the bridegroom as best man was Mr. Frank Bren, Mendham, N. J.

Later, a reception was held at the home of the bridegroom. Guests attended from Wilmington, Del.; New York City and several points in New Jersey.

The couple will reside at the home of the bridegroom.

Until a few years ago the bride had been a resident of Pottstown all her life.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Application for a marriage license was made at the Montgomery county courthouse, Norristown, by:

John W. Clemens, Schwenkville, and Emily F. Kriebel, Norristown.

Mr. Kenneth Fillman Shows Colored Slides At Gentlemen Night Program in Elks Hall

In the absence of the Rev. W. Hamilton Aulenbach, Philadelphia, who was scheduled to address the annual "Gentleman's Night" dinner meeting of the members of the Women's club last night in Elks hall, Mr. Kenneth Fillman responded by showing colored slides of Canada, New York and the Philadelphia flower show.

Members of the club had not been informed that the speaker would not be present due to car trouble until the dinner was well under way.

Highlinghting the program was the selections given by the Virginia Bare and Brothers Swiss Bell Ringers of Glenmore. The original set of bells were ten in number and were purchased by the Rev. J. A. Bare, the father of the performers, from a magician who had brought them to the United States from Switzerland.

The Rev. Bare purchased them because they had always been a source of curiosity to him and he learned to play them without a teacher. He in turn then taught his children. The set now comprises 29 bells and is believed to be the only set of Swiss hand bells in the Eastern states.

In charge of last night's program was the room and hospitality committee, Mrs. Walter F. Merkel, chairman; Miss Mildred H. Christman, Mrs. Edwin Hartenstine, Mrs. Joseph L. James, Mrs. Gerald R. Fegley, Mrs. J. Aldus Seldomridge, Mrs. Leon M. Seldomridge, Mrs. Warren L. Klinger, Mrs. George Boyer, Mrs. Dorothy L. Kulp, Mrs. Harry G. Neyenesch, Mrs. Raymond N. Quigley, Mrs. Elliot L. Renville, Mrs. Elwood S. Rex, Mrs. Bert Shaw and Mrs. C. Lawrence Seivard.

Also the contact committee, Mrs. William W. Hubertus, chairman; Mrs. William A. White, Mrs. Joseph R. Whitacre, Mrs Raymond A. Bitting, Mrs. Morrell E. Grigg, Mrs. J. Walter Grow, Mrs. Edwin H. Hartenstine, Mrs. Joseph L. James, Mrs. John W. LeVeille, Mrs Harry G. Neyenesch, Mrs. Elwood S. Rex, Mrs. Bert Shaw and Mrs H. Rohland Dorang.

And the art and decoration committee, Mrs. George Boyer, Mrs. Leonard H. Cadwell, Miss Mildred H. Christman, Mrs. William W. Hubertus, Mrs. John W. LeVeille, Mrs. Ralph Richard, Mrs. Samuel B Stoudt, Mrs. William H. Thomas, Mrs. J. Robert Von Drach and Mrs. Chester B. Wolf.

A line drawn between the earth's magnetic poles would pass about 750 miles from the center of the earth.

Dorothy M. Haas; Charles Fichthorn United in Marriage

Miss Dorothy M Haas 232 Vine street, Stowe, and Mr. Charles E. Fichthorn, 402 Walnut street, were united in marriage by the Rev. George B. Pifer, pastor of Christ Lutheran church, Niantic, at his home, 500 Green street, Royersford, Saturday afternoon.

The bride is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George F. Haas, while Mr. Fichthorn is a son of Mrs. Mary Murray, 402 Walnut street.

The bride chose a gabardine suit of slate blue with Winter white and black accessories. Her corsage was of white purple lipped orchids. Her only attendant was her sister, Mrs. Harold W. Linsenbigler, who was dressed in aqua gabardine with black and white accessories. She wore a natural orchid corsage.

Mr. Harold Linsenbigler attended the bridegroom as best man.

Immediately following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served to friends and the immediate families at the Lesher's hotel in Shartlesville, from which the couple left for a honeymoon of unannounced destination.

Mrs. Fichthorn is employed by the Edward Shuwall company while the bridegroom is employed at the Spicer Manufacturing company. They will reside at 402 Walnut street.

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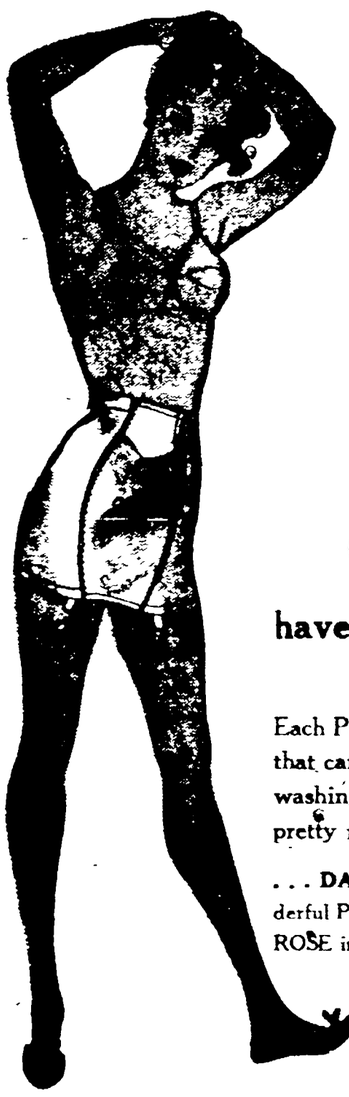

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Valentine Dinner Staged by Members Of Local Store Club

Grow's restaurant was the scene of festivity Monday night when members of the WEM Serv-U club of the Ellis Mills store held a Valentine dinner party following the regular store hours.

Mrs. William E. Mills, president of the store, led the devotional, while Mr Warren DeLong, president of the club led in singing Mrs Katharine Hipple, pianist, accompanied. Mr DeLong also acted as toastmaster chairman.

Dinner was served to the 50 members present on a table which was decorated with cupids on red cushions, name cards made of hearts and candles encircled with red bows A bouquet of Spring flowers, which were later presented to Mrs. Mills, served as the centerpiece

A birthday cake was served in honor of the birthday anniversary of Miss Miriam Keck, treasurer of the store

Miss Cora Mertz won the biggest prize of the evening for composing the most original song for the club Second and third prizes were won by the Misses Nan Krause and Jane Garner.

Games were played under the direction of Mrs. Helen Fray and prizes were won by Mr DeLong, Miss Mildred Knauer and Mrs. Fanny Von Drach. Mr Harry T. Engle, general manager of the store, led the group in a game of follow the leader.

Valentines were distributed and two piano duets were played by Mrs Bess Pierce and Mr DeLong.

Mr. Richard Wisneski, display manager, designed the decorations and the committee in charge was composed of Mrs Hipple, Mrs Ellen Mock, Mrs Fray, Mrs. Pierce, Miss Mary Ann Hill, Mrs. Alice Neiman and Mr. Wisneski.

Some kinds of sponges have been taken from ocean bottoms three miles deep, although most sponges live in shallow water.

PERSONALS

Earl W. Feight Jr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Feight Sr, of 427 North York street, has been elected secretary of the Senior class at Muhlenberg college for the second semester. He now is a member of the college's student council.

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Mrs Julia B Whirman, 218 Chestnut street, left Monday to spend a few weeks at the Physical Culture hotel Dansville, N Y.

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Pfc William D Vanderslice, son of Mr and Mrs Paul Vanderslice, 119 North Franklin street, is enjoying a 14-day furlough at home, following the completion of Army Air Force basic training at Lockbin Army Air base, San Antonio, Texas. He will report to Lowry field, Denver, Col, to attend the technical school for remote control mechanics

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Pvt Arthur L Moses, son of Mr and Mrs Ernest C Moses, of Pottstown RD 2, is currently on furlough at his home, prior to reporting to Camp Stoneman, Calif, for assignment to the Pacific theater of operations. He is a member of the regular Army Corps of Military Police, and recently completed a course of instruction at the Military Police school, Carlisle Barracks.

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Mrs Claude A. Hanley, 136 King street, was admitted to the Reading hospital yesterday as a surgical patient. Her room number is 116

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Mr. and Mrs. George Berman, Wilson and Grandview roads, left yesterday morning on a two weeks trip through Florida.

Rolls may be freshed by sprinkling them lightly with water, putting them in a paper bag and heating them this way in a moderate oven.

Church Group Holds Election of Officers

Election of officers at a recent meeting of the Young Adult Bible class of the Cedarville Methodist church resulted in Henry Hartenstine being elected president, while Mr William Reitenbaugh was elected vice president The secretary chosen was Mrs. Esther Strunk with Donald Keelor elected treasurer.

The short business meeting was presided over by Miss Frances Beekley, after which a luncheon was served by Miss Beekley.

Attending were Mr and Mrs Henry Hartenstine, Mr and Mrs William Reitenbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Strunk Jr, the Rev. Lee Adams, Mrs Guy Wagner, Mrs. Allen Hoal, Mrs. Grace Fultz, Miss Margaret Bilger, Mrs Bankes Frye, Mrs Henry Hipple, Mrs. Elizabeth Beekley, Miss Darlene Beekley, Mrs Wilmer Frederick and Mr. Donald Keelor.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs Bankes Frye, 226 Walnut street, March 17

BIRTHS

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs John Bolonski, Stowe, yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs Frank Wilcox, Boyertown, became the parents of a daughter yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

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Mr and Mrs Leslie Hallman, Hillside, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday in Memorial hospital.

In 1946, cheese made in this country used 11 billion pounds of milk.

Bride-To-Be

Mrs Harry Weidenbaugh, 1408 Chestnut street announced the approaching marriage of her daughter, Miss Betty Richards, (above), to Mr. Thomas E Buckwalter, son of Mr and Mrs Abraham Buckwalter, Sanatoga. The couple will be married May 12

U S farm families ate about 183 million chickens in 1946

Valentine Banquet Held By Dorcas Class Members

Upon a table decorated with flowers, hearts and valentines, with a centerpiece of red carnations forming a huge heart, a banquet was served last night to members of the Dorcas class of the St Paul's Reformed Sunday school in Grow's restaurant.

Secret pals were revealed Group singing was led by Mrs Daniel Albright, pianist Games were led by Mrs Anna Mauger and prizes were won by Mrs Daniel Reifsnyder Mrs Elmer Gross and Mrs Ruth Mest.

Present were Mr and Mrs. Daniel Reifsnyder, Mr and Mrs Clinton H Frey, Mr and Mrs Henry Rahn, Mr and Mrs Edward Weand, the Rev. and Mrs. Michael Scammon, Mr and Mrs Edward Heimbach, Mr and Mrs Earl Weno, Miss Helen Bauer, Miss Ruth Buckwalter, Miss Mabel Mauger, Mrs Sarah Kline, Mr and Mrs William Whitmyer, Mrs Bertie Krames, Mr. and Mrs Harry Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Albright, Mr and Mrs Horace Evans, Mr and Mrs Elmer Mest, Mr and Mrs Lewis Mauger, Mr and Mrs William Mauger, Mr and Mrs. Elmer Dersime and Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Bauer.

Luke Cisarik Jr. to Wed Miss Jeanne Griswold

Mr and Mrs Howard Griswold, 265 North Evans street, recently announced the engagement of their daughter, Jeanne, to Mr Luke Cisarik Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Cisarik Sr, Kenilworth.

Miss Griswold is employed at the Model Dry Cleaning company while Mr. Cisarik is employed at the Acme Market.

No wedding date has been set.

Birthday Party Held In Birdsboro Home

The 16th birthday anniversary of William Calagan, Pughtown, was celebrated recently at a surprise party given by Miss Patty Orandosh, South Pottstown, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Amole, Birdsboro.

Blue and white streamers decorated the room, while a red and white cake was used as the centerpiece on the table.

Games were enjoyed by Esther Amole, Shirley Dilks, Sheila Collins, Sandra Olsen, Phyllis Fulmer, Nancy Orandosh, Jane Camabo, Dorothy Amole, Paul Chapple, Thomas Fischer, Jane Orandosh, David Amole, Leland Beeckley, Melvin Schedt, Larry Beidler, Harold Amole, Charles Murray and Ralph Stem.

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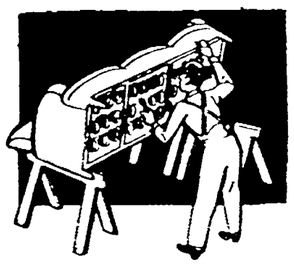

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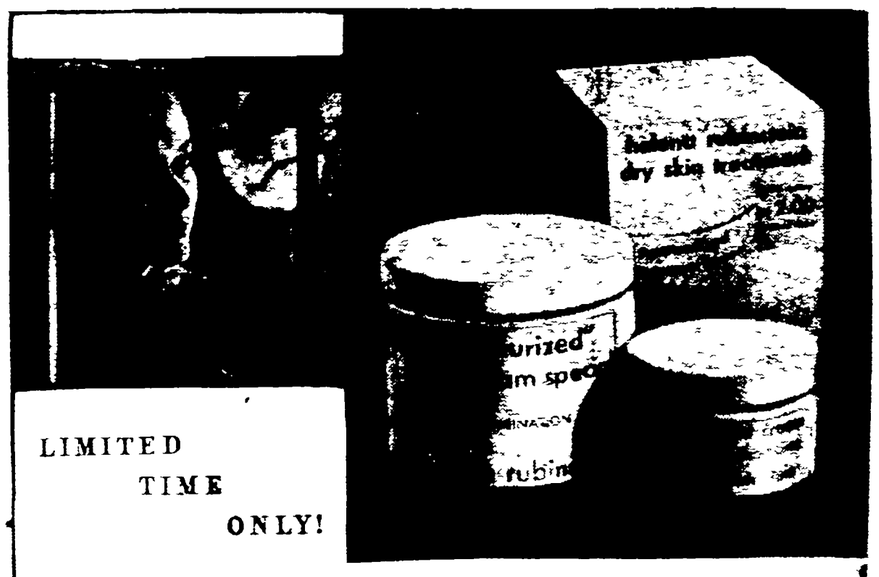
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6	00	Morning Salute;	Jamboree	Songs of Plains	Dawn Patrol
	15	News	Jamboree	Jack Day Sings	News Music
	30	R. D. 1000	Rural Digest,	Farmers Mark't;	Dawn Patrol
	45	Ted Steele	Amos Kirby	Zeke Manners	News
7	00	Musical Clock	News; Weather	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire
	15	News; Music	Bugle Call;	LeRoy Miller	Comedy
	30	Musical Clock	Music	News; Weather	News; Mac
	45	Musical Clock	J. Raleigh News	LeRoy Miller	McGuire
8	00	Musical Clock	Bugle Call;	Musical Clock	Mac McGuire
	15	" "	Music	" "	News
	30	" "	"	" "	Mac
	45	" "	"	Morning Extra	McGuire
9	00	Faith Welles	Cinderella	Breakfast Club	News; Mac
	15	" "	Weekend	" "	McGuire
	30	Public Schools	At Home with	" "	Chatter Bat
	45	Morning Variety	the Gaineys	" "	Lest We Forget
10	00	Fred Waring	Let's Have Fun	My True Story	Keys to Hap'ness
	15	" "	Gladys Webster	True Story	News
	30	Road of Life	Evelyn Winters	Betty Crocker	Terminal Tunes
	45	Joyce Jordan	David Harum	Listening Post	Kitchen Kapers
11	00	Nora Drake	Arthur Godfrey	Breakfast	Kitchen Kapers
	15	Katie' Daughter	" "	In Hollywood	Tiny Ruffner
	30	Jack Berch	Orleigh'n Stewart	Galen Drake	Heart's Desire
	45	Lora Lawton	Rosemary	Ted Malone	Heart's Desire

AFTERNOON

Hour	Min	KYW	WCAU	WFIL	WIP
12	00	Gabe Mileran	W Warren; News	Welcome	Kate Smith
	15	Luncheteers	Aunt Jenny	Travelers	Vic H. Lindlahr
	30	" "	Helen Trent	Sleepy Hollow	News
	45	News; Folksongs	Our Gal Sunday	Mil Spooner	Harmony
1	00	Melody Magic	Big Sister	Rhythm Show	Tex Beneke
	15	" "	Ma Perkins	Music	Passing Parade
	30	Carleton	Dr Malone	Anton Ives; News	Serenade
	45	Music; News	Guiding Light	Farm Reports	Do Re Mi
2	00	Today's Children	Ted Mrs Burton	Bantam Band	Queen for
	15	A Woman in White	Perry Mason	Magic of Books	a Day
	30	Rich Stowe	Spotlight Show	Bride & Groom	Martin Block
	45	Light of World	Rose of Dreams	" " "	Stage Songs
3	00	Life Beautiful	Double or	Paul Whiteman	Studio Party
	15	Ma Perkins	Nothing	Record Club	Milton Starr
	30	Pepper Young	House Party	Paul Whiteman	Stranger's Song
	45	Rt to Happiness	" "	Record Club	News, Melodies
4	00	Backstage Wife	Hint Hunt;	Paul Whiteman	Melody Matinee
	15	Stella Dallas	Band	Record Club	Serenade
	30	Lorenzo Jones	C Stewart	The Music Goes	Keys to Hap'ness
	45	Widder Brown	Lullaby Time	'Round; News	Memory Lane
5	00	Gilt Matches	School of Air	Dick Tracy	Adv'ture Parade
	15	Portia Blake	" "	Terry & Pirates	Superman
	30	Just Plain Bill	Blue Music	Jack Armstrong	Capt Midnight
	45	David Farrell	Lum 'n Abner	" "	Tom Mix

EVENING

Hour	Min	KYW	WCAU	WFIL	WIP
6	00	News; Talk	J Reeves Sports;	Magic Lady	S P M. Extra
	15	H. Robert, Sports	Weather	Bing Crosby	Johnson Family
	30	Bob Elson	Peter Donald	Moorehead	Sports, News
	45	Three Star Extra	Lowell Thomas	N Black Orch.	Uncle Wip
7	00	Supper Club	Mystery of Week	Bud Guest	Unseen Advisor
	15	News	J Smith Show	Mil Spooner	News
	30	Hollywood	"Club 15"	The Lone Ranger	Arthur Gaeth
	45	Theatre	Edw R Murrow	Cowboy Drama	Inside of Sports
8	00	Dennis Day	American	Mayor of the	Musi-Quis
	15	" "	Melody Hour	Town	" "
	30	Great	Dr Christian	Vox Pop	High Adventure
	45	Gildersleeve	"Candid Shot"	" "	Billy Rose
9	00	Duffy's Tavern	Mark Warnow	Abbott and	Gabriel Heatter
	15	" "	Show	Costello	Music
	30	Mr District	Romance	Groucho Marx	Racket
	45	Attorney	"The Citadel"	" "	Smashers
10	00	The Big Story	"The Bigna'ist	Bing Crosby	California
	15	" " "	The Whistler	" "	Melodies
	30	Jimmy Durante	Symphonette	Tony Martin	News
	45	" "	"	" "	Fulton Lewis Jr
11	00	News, Gov. Duff	News Analysis	News; Weather	Come and Dance
	15	Annual Report	Powers Gouraud	Duke	" "
	30	" "	Miguelito	Ellington	" "
	45	Night Club	Valoes	Show	" "
12 p.m.		News; Anthony	Utah Symphony	Sports and News	Bandwagon

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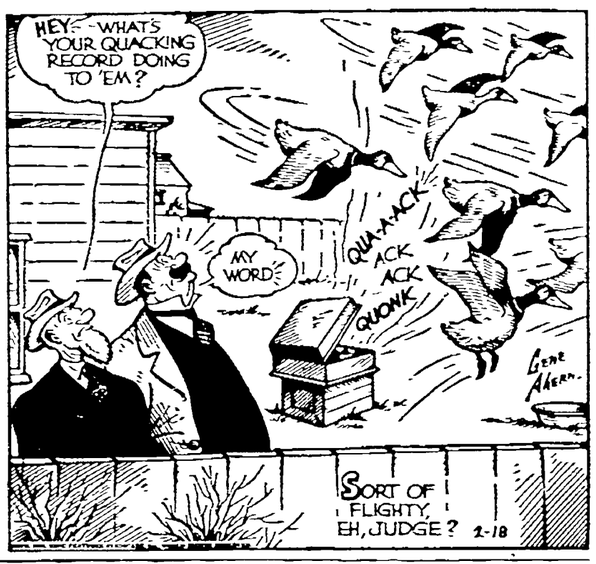

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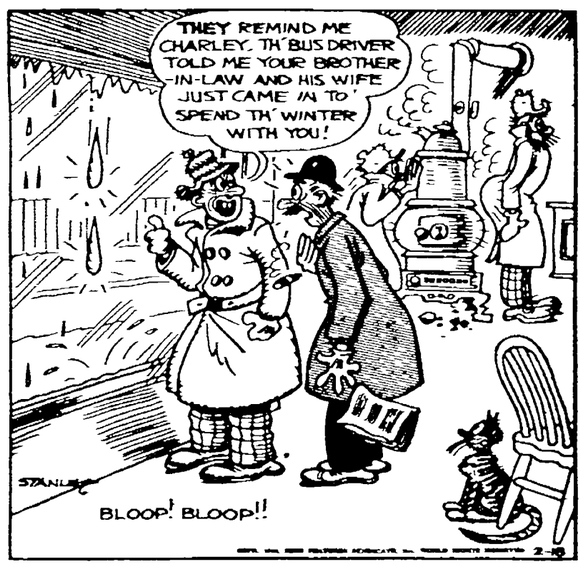

BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By SHEPARD BARCLAY

How Is It Better?

WHEN your hand has not been bid at all, there are two contrasting ways in which it can be better than your partner would normally expect—offensively and defensively. If it has a bit of high card strength, or length in the opponents' suit, it is better defensively. If it has length in your partner's suit, with shortage elsewhere, it is better offensively. In the latter case, if it also is lacking in high cards, you are in an ideal spot to take out a business double by him.

North: ♠ J 7 ♥ K 7 6 4 2 ♦ 7 6 ♣ A 9 7 6

West: ♠ 8 6 5 2 ♥ J 5 ♦ J 5 ♣ Q 8 5 3 2

East: ♠ A K Q 10 4 3 ♥ A Q 9 ♦ Q 4 3 2 ♣ None

South: ♠ 9 ♥ 10 8 3 ♦ A K 10 9 8 ♣ K J 10 4

(Dealer: South. East-West vulnerable.)

South	West	North	East
1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥	3 ♠
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Dbl
Pass	4 ♠		

At two duplicate tables, the bidding was exactly as given, except for one difference. West in one case left in the double of 4-Hearts and in the other he made the takeout of the business double into 4-Spades as indicated.

Note how West's hand fulfills the exact prescription for such a takeout. He has a hand which appears utterly worthless on defense, and so can't be expected to aid it to the extent of even a single trick. He has, however, a holding which is far from worthless in support of spades, with his four trumps and his two doubletons, to say nothing of the possible value of his five clubs. Furthermore, with his side vulnerable, a game for it would mean so many points that poor consolation would come from setting the not-vulnerable opponents unless by at least four tricks.

Where the 4-Spades takeout was made, East scored his game, losing tricks to the diamond K and A and an over-ruff of the third diamond. The bolance of the play was quite simple for East, who used his diamond Q to discard the heart 5 and ruffed his heart Q and 9 without risking a loss of the heart finesse.

The 4-Hearts contract was set only one trick. East and West getting one in spades and three in trumps. That produced a measly 100 points instead of the value of game.

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Tomorrow's Problem

North: ♠ J 8 7 6 ♥ 5 ♦ 8 7 5 4 2 ♣ A 10 4

West: ♠ 4 ♥ 8 6 4 ♦ K J 6 3 ♣ K J 9 7 2

East: ♠ 10 9 3 ♥ A J 10 9 3 ♦ A 9 ♣ Q 8 5

South: ♠ A K Q 5 2 ♥ K Q 7 2 ♦ Q 10 ♣ 6 3

(Dealer. South. North-South vulnerable.)

Following the heart 8 to the A, diamond A and diamond 9 to the K, how would the return then influence your play for 4-Spades in the South?

TRAPPE

Mildred E. Cressman, corr. Phone Collegeville 4761. George Clarke Jr., delivery.

Gunnar Rambo, Samuel Harley, Ralph Simmons, Marvin Zollers, Selby Heffelfinger and Walter Cressman attended the Montgomery county Firemen's association meeting held at West Point recently.

Mrs. George Irwin was admitted to Memorial hospital, Pottstown, recently.

Miss Marie McCann, of Phoenixville, was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Strohm.

Recent supper guests of Mr and Mrs George Reese were Miss Marie McCann, Gene Carfano, of Norristown, and Mr. and Mrs. William Strohm.

Mr and Mrs. A. F. Baker celebrated their 14th wedding anniversary recently.

Mr and Mrs. Neil Detwiler and Dorothy were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hughes of Harleysville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tyson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tyson and family, Mrs. Loretta Buck, of Graterford, and Mr. and Mrs George Tyson of Royersford at dinner recently.

Mrs. Gunnar Rambo and sister, Mrs Noah Lemmond, visited for a week in Atlanta, Ga. Mrs. C. D. Cowan and Mrs. Adelaide Sprague and son Stephen, have returned to Ferndale Md., after visiting with the Rambo family.

H. D. Allebach, Third avenue, was re-elected a director of the Tri-County Artificial Breeders co-operative at a recent meeting of the cattlemen at Kimberton.

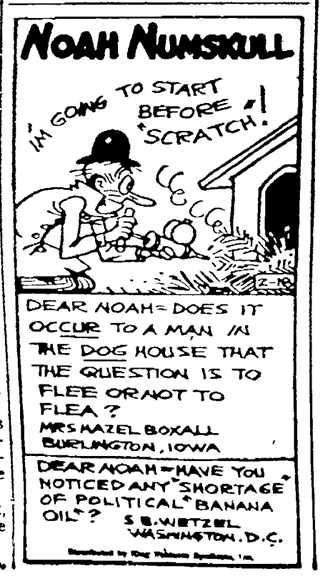
Mrs James C. Poff, Overbrook, spent a day with her parents, the Rev. and Mrs A. C. Ohl.

The Rev. and Mrs. George Drach, entertained recently in honor of their son Robert W Drach, who observed his birthday anniversary. Others present were Robert Drach and family and Mr. and Mrs. S Louis Cornish and son, David.

Mrs William Rambo, observed her birthday anniversary recently and her guests were Mr. and Mrs Harold Rambo, son, Harold and Miss Betty Kirland, all of Royersford.

Tommy Cressman was confined to bed the past week with tonsilitis.

Mrs. Merritt Bosler entertained members of her bridge club recently. Guests were present from Philadelphia, Conshohocken, Norristown and Trappe.



TODAY'S Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Mast
5 Sacks
9 River (It.)
10 Mountains (Russ.)
11 Shun
12 Fragrant tree
14 Obtained
15 Stainless
16 Affirmative votes
18 Rough lava
19 Exclamation
20 English novelist
23 Man's nickname
24. Indian clan symbol
26 River (So. Am.)
28 Ocean (abbr.)
29 American painter
31. Lowest note (Guido)
32 Music note
33 River (Fr.)
36 Say again
39 Alcoholic liquor
40 Swagger
41. Handles roughly
43 Weed
44 Egg-shaped
45 Organs of sight
46 Remunerates

DOWN
1 Former duchy, N Italy
2 Object formally
3. Keel-billed cuckoo
4 Pole
5 U S president
6 Region
7. Wanders about idly
8 A great quantity (slang)
11 Turkish magistrate
13 English novelist
15 Vehicle
17 Let it stand (print.)
21. Vies with
22 Fencing sword
24. Journeys
25 Composition for 8 parts (var.)
27. So. Am. republic
30 Rodent
34. Streamlets
35 Type measures
37 Beseech
38 River (Fr.)
41. A swab
42. Topaz hummingbird

Yesterday's Answer

CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation

W K W N Z L Q A R Y L U Q U R F Y ' G R Y Z A Q Y W Z D F R A R G N D A Q Y D R O R J K W Y-G E N W N — F U R L.

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: EARTH IN ITSELF CONTAINS AT ONCE THE EVIL AND THE CURE—SHELLEY

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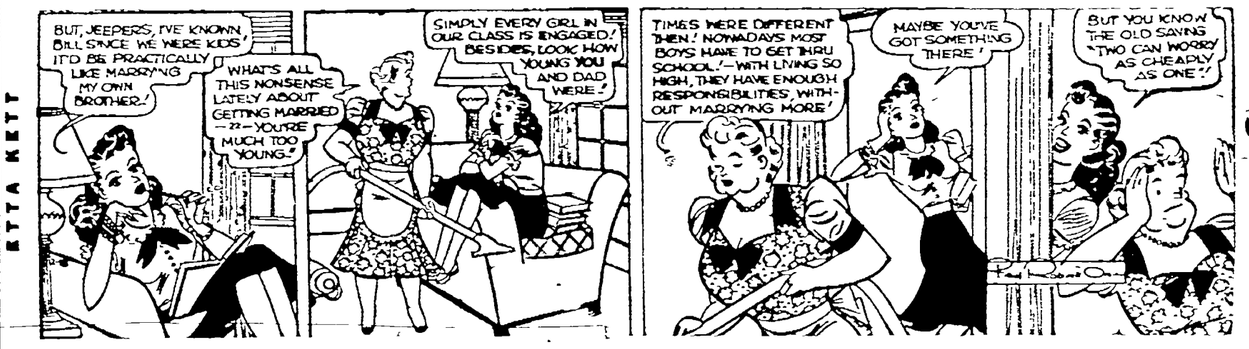

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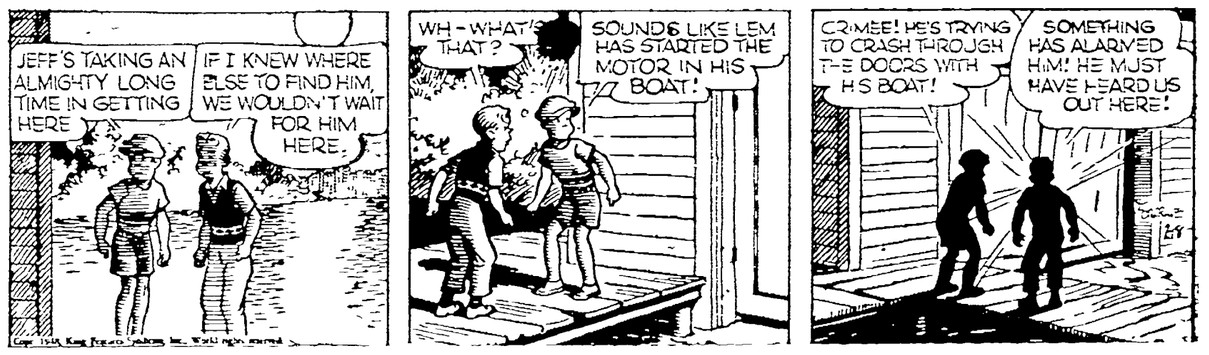

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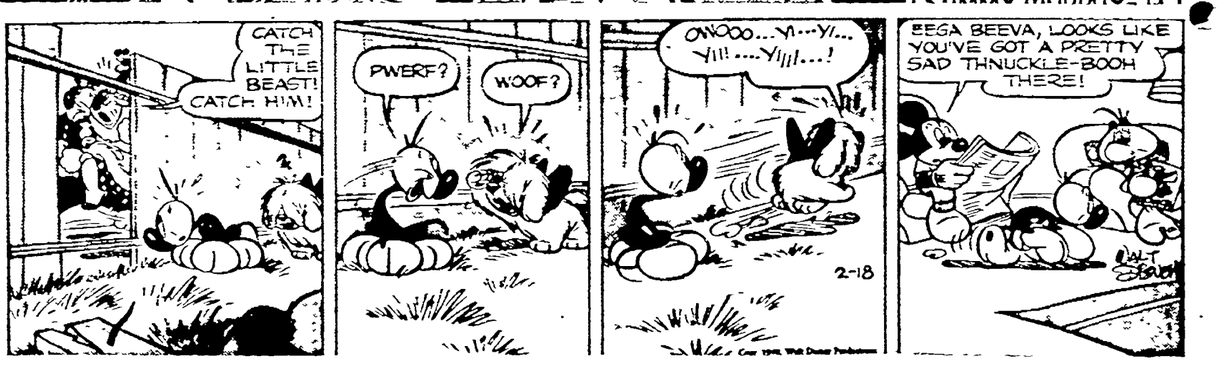
TOOTS AND CASPER

MICKEY MOUSE



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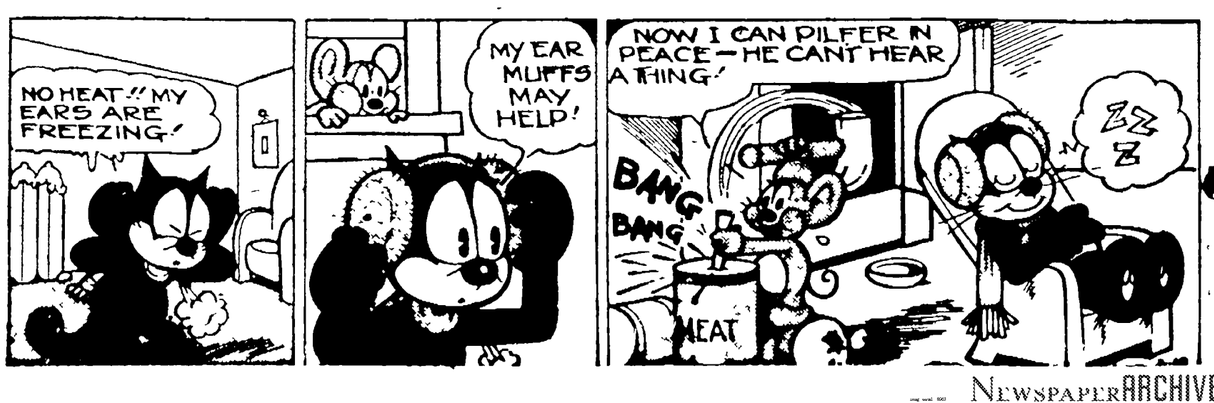

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Trojan Cagers Crush Berwyn by 75-15; Don Ziegler Sets New Scoring Record

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Warwick Fails in Late Rally, Loses to Falcons by 41-39

Warwick High's basketball team was delayed on its way to the Suburban basketball championship of Pottstown last night when a determined West Pottsgrove High quintet turned in a 41-39 victory on the Warwick court.

Warwick now sports a record of two wins and one defeat in its quest of the Suburban title and could still win the championship with a victory over North Coventry. It was Warwick's second defeat of the year.

With Steve Sabo and Sam DiGiosia playing top notch basketball from start to finish, the Falcons were never in serious trouble. After taking a 5-4 lead in the first period, the visitors fell behind Warwick by three points at halftime but soon regained the lead in the third frame and went on to win.

Bill Baver, Warwick's brilliant sophomore star, gave the Falcons trouble in the final period and almost won the game for the home team in the closing minutes. The visitors, however, halted Baver after the Warwick center had scored 27 points on 11 field goals and five fouls.

It was West Pottsgrove's eighth win of the year and boosted the Falcons above the .500 percent mark. The victory also gave the Falcons an even plit with Warwick in a two-game series.

In a junior varsity battle, West Pottsgrove eked out a 9-25 victory over Warwick's reserves. Bill Wilkinson paced the Falcons with 10 points.

In the first game on the program, the Falconettes of West Pottsgrove handed the Warwick lassies a 26-25 setback.

Warwick	G.	F.	P.	West Pottsgrove	G.	F.	P.
McAfee, f	2	1	5	Sabo, f	6	5	17
Wynn, f	0	0	0	Basile, f	1	0	2
Painter, f	0	0	0	Gich, c	2	0	4
Budd, f	1	1	3	Ciotl, g	0	5	5
Baver, c	11	5	27	DiGiosia, g	5	3	13
Steltz, g	1	0	2				
Erb, g	0	0	0				
Skiles, g	1	0	2				
Totals	16	7	39	Totals	14	13	41

Warwick ..... 4 15 4 16—39
West Pottsgrove ..... 5 11 12 13—41

WILDCATS FALL UNDER PIRATES BY 43-27 SCORE

Pirates Force Norco Into Section Six Cellar; Rentschler Tabs 12 Points

Hitting their peak in the second and third periods, the Pirates of Spring City scored their second victory over North Coventry this season by a 43-27 score last night and sent the Wildcats into the Section Six cellar. The game was played at Spring City.

The Pirates held a slim one point lead over the Wildcats after the first period, but the home team broke through Norco's defense for 11 points in the second quarter and 14 in the third period to put the game on ice.

The Wildcats played steady basketball during the entire game, but Spring City did too much damage in the middle quarters and Norco couldn't match the pace.

For Spring City, it was the third victory of the season, and gave the Pirates a good chance of finishing in the first division. Norco suffered its fifth league defeat and dropped into the cellar position in the Section Six standings.

Jim Rentschler gave the Wildcats trouble all night, scoring four field goals and four fouls for a 12-point total. Jim Dell added nine points for the Pirates. Tim Batdorf led Norco's scorers with nine markers.

Spring City	G.	F.	P.	North Coventry	G.	F.	P.
P. Card, f	3	0	6	Kepner, f	1	0	2
Dell, f	4	1	9	Nalim, f	0	0	0
A. Stauffer, f	1	2	4	Staverosky, f	3	1	7
R. Davis, c	3	2	8	Callahan, c	2	2	6
E. Davis, c	0	0	0	Reish, c	0	1	1
J. Ross, c	0	0	0	Dolha'zyk, g	0	2	2
Rentschler, g	4	4	12	Mouraz, g	0	0	0
Gumma, g	0	0	0	Batdorf, g	3	3	9
Ludwick, g	2	0	4				
Hunsb'ger, g	0	0	0				
Totals	17	9	43	Totals	9	9	27

Spring City ..... 9 11 14 9—43
North Coventry ..... 8 5 6 8—27

Referees—Geno and Schealer. Timer—Bear. Scorer—D. McKissic.

BIG FORWARD HITS NETS FOR 26-POINT TOTAL

Baby Trojans Rally to Take 37-27 Decision; West Chester Cops Title

TREDYFFRIN - EASTTOWN, Feb. 17—With Don Ziegler setting a new modern scoring record for Pottstown High, the Trojans gave Coach Ed Good a perfect birthday present here tonight by drubbing Berwyn High's cagers by a 75-15 score before a small crowd.

Ziegler, tall blonde-haired senior, wiped out Claude Reinhart's mark of 25 points in a single game set two years ago by hitting the Berwyn cords for 12 field goals and two foul tosses for a 26-point total. Ziegler tabbed nine points in the first half and added 17 in the final two periods. His final field goal came with about three minutes remaining in the game.

The victory was the sixth Section Three win of the season for the Pottstown combine and also marked the first time the Blue and White has beaten a team by 60 points. The victory moved the Trojans into a tie for second place with Coatesville High who lost to West Chester, 58-34, tonight. West Chester, by winning over the Raiders, clinched the Section Three championship.

The Trojans gave the Berwyn cagers a lesson in shooting accuracy in the high school gymnasium here tonight. Coach Good's charges put on a brillant display of offensive power throughout the entire game and Berwyn never had a chance of catching the Pottstown cagers.

Ziegler, who hit for 12 field goals, received a lot of help from Captain Stan Stolar. Stolar zipped the nets for 15 points via seven field goals and one foul.

The Pottstown quintet played as one unit from start to finish, and some of the passing was as beautiful as some of the shots made by the visitors. The defensive play of the Trojans was great. Berwyn was held to five field goals from scrimmage during the entire game, two of them coming in the third period.

The performance put on by the Trojans was probably the best showing of a Pottstown High quintet in the past few years.

The Trojans started fast, taking a 12-0 lead before Berwyn got a shot at the basket. The Trojans took ten shots at the basketball in the first few minutes and made good on six of them for the 12-0 advantage.

After Berwyn scored two fouls, Pottstown pulled away into a 21-4 lead in the first eight minutes. At halftime the visitors sported a comfortable 32-7 lead.

In the preliminary event, Coach Bill McCabe's Baby Trojans scored their seventh Section Three win by coming from behind to hand Berwyn's reserves a 37-27 setback.

Pottstown	G	F	P.	Berwyn	G.	F	P.
Stolar, f	7	1	15	Palasco, f	0	0	0
Sunstrom, f	2	0	4	Stow, f	2	3	7
Spare, f	1	0	2	Clark, f	0	2	2
Ziegler, f	12	2	26	Pirsey, f	0	0	0
Howard, f	0	0	0	Pollard, c	1	0	2
Yerger, c	3	3	9	Miller, c	0	0	0
Pollick, c	0	1	1	Patton, g	2	0	4
Mauger, g	2	0	4	DiSerafi'o, g	0	0	0
Ludwig, g	2	0	4	Goetchius, g	0	0	0
Rath, g	3	0	6	Davis, g	0	0	0
Fecak, g	2	0	4				
Totals	34	7	75	Totals	5	5	15

Pottstown ..... 21 11 14 29—75
Berwyn ..... 4 3 5 3—15

Referees—Erb, Williams.

Pottstown	G.	F.	P.	Berwyn	G.	F	P.
DeBiase, f	1	1	3	Hughes, f	4	0	8
Brenner, f	0	0	0	DiShar'onn, f	0	0	0
VonDrach, f	2	3	7	Clark, f	2	1	5
Beasley, f	1	2	4	Hopkins, f	0	0	0
Royer, c	4	0	8	Allen, c	3	0	6
Repko, c	3	0	6	Morelli, c	0	0	0
Dobry, g	0	4	4	McQuist'n, g	0	0	0
Saylor, g	0	0	0	Strango, g	1	1	3
Formando, g	2	1	5	Cosnocht, g	1	3	5
				Girard, g	0	0	0
Totals	13	11	37	Totals	11	5	27

Pottstown ..... 6 7 12 12—37
Berwyn ..... 9 9 0 9—27

Referee—Tyson.

BASKETBALL SCORES

PHILADELPHIA
SUBURBAN CONFERENCE
SECTION THREE

Pottstown .....75 Berwyn 15
West Chester ....58 Coatesville 34
Downingtown .....49 Phoenixville 32

STANDINGS

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
W Chester	9	0	1.000	Down'wn	2	6	.250
Pottstown	6	3	.667	Phoenix'e	2	7	.222
Coatesvl'e	6	3	.667	Berwyn	1	7	.143

SECTION SIX

Spring City .....43 North Coventry .27

STANDINGS

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Bridgep't	5	2	.714	Spr City	3	4	.429
G'Merion	5	2	.714	N.Cove'y	2	5	.286
Consho'en	3	4	.429				

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BOYERTOWN FIVE HANDS GREENIES 55-38 CAGE LOSS

Boyertown High's cagers, playing one of the best games of the season, rolled over East Greenville High by a 55-38 score last night in a non-league game before a large crowd at Boyertown.

It was the eighth victory of the season for Boyertown High's Bears as compared to 10 defeats. Of the eight victories, five have been scored over non-league opponents.

The Bears showed most of their power in the first eight minutes, taking a 19-8 lead over the Greenies. Coach Bob Fleming's Bears added 13 more points in the second quarter for a 32-11 halftime advantage.

East Greenville came back strong against the Boyertown reserves in the second half, but the visitors couldn't wipe out the tremendous lead Boyertown built up in the first half.

Boyertown	G.	F.	P.	East Greenville	G.	F.	P.
Levengood, f	0	0	0	Style, f	2	3	7
Mackey, f	2	2	6	Schwoyer, f	1	0	2
Miller, f	1	2	4	Leister, f	2	0	4
Hallman, f	5	1	11	Endy, f	1	2	4
Brannan, f	0	0	0	R. Beller, c	1	0	2
Johnson, c	0	5	5	D. Beller, g	0	0	0
R Roth'ger c	1	0	2	Stoneback, g	1	0	2
J.Roth'ger, g	0	0	0	Pennyp'et, g	0	0	0
Smith, g	1	1	3	Zeigler, g	5	6	16
Hartline, g	5	1	11	Beahm, g	0	1	1
Neiman, g	3	1	7				
Moatz, g	3	0	6				
Totals	21	13	55	Totals	13	12	38

Boyertown ..... 19 13 14 9—55
East Greenville ..... 8 3 10 17—38

ARDMORE QUINTET TOPS GOLDEN CUBS IN 28-24 CONTEST

With Tom Ciarrochi scoring 11 points to pace the attack, Ardmore Junior High continued its mastery over Pottstown athletic teams yesterday by defeating the Golden Cubs of Pottstown Junior High, 28-24, at the local North Franklin street palestra.

The defeat was the seventh of the year for Coach Gene Kauler's charges as compared to five victories.

Pottstown took a 1-0 lead shortly after the game started, but Ardmore forged ahead with a field goal and built up a 10-8 advantage in the first period. At halftime the visitors maintained a 14-13 advantage.

The Golden Cubs came back strong early in the third period, moving ahead of Ardmore, 17-16. The Mainliners, however, dunked a quick field goal and pulled away into a comfortable lead. They held the advantage to the finish.

Ciarrochi supplied the scoring punch for Ardmore during the entire game. Three of his five field goals came in the first period and he added another in the second frame. He was held to three points in the second half.

For Pottstown, Dave Ricketts paced the scorers with seven points on two field goals and three fouls.

Pottstown	G.	F.	P.	Ardmore	G.	F.	P.
D.Ricketts, f	2	3	7	Long, f	1	1	3
Hallman, f	2	0	4	Ciarrochi, f	5	1	11
Stepsie, c	2	0	4	Blancher, c	0	0	0
R.Ricketts, g	0	1	1	Camp, c	2	1	5
Pollick, g	1	0	2	Franken'd, g	1	4	6
Duttenh'r, g	1	2	4	Chios, g	1	1	3
Iezzi, g	1	0	2	Hicks, g	0	0	0
				Greenley, g	0	0	0
Totals	9	6	24	Totals	10	8	28

Pottstown ..... 8 5 4 7—24
Ardmore ..... 10 4 5 9—28

Talking Tennis

Andre Najar, honorary secretary of the Egyptian Lawn Tennis Association and captain of the Davis Cup team, left, chats with Yugoslavia's Franzo Puncec.

Eagles Defeat Pennsburg, Take Upper Montco Title

Coach Vince Bonkoski's Eagles of Royersford High swooped down out of the skies at Royersford last night, clawed Pennsburg's Bulldogs for a 52-29 victory, and flew back to their nests with another Upper Montco league championship.

By winning their ninth straight league game and taking the 1947-48 title, the Eagles dethroned Collegeville High's Colonels as masters of the Upper Montco Basketball circuit. Royersford's last championship team was in the Winter of 1945-46.

The Eagles, playing on their home court, put on another brilliant exhibition of shooting. Bonkoski's cagers fired 53 shots at the baskets last night and made good on 19 of them. The new champs also hit for 13 foul goals out of 30 tries from the foul line.

Johnny Fearbeller, Royersford's great all-around athlete, and Greg Tiros were mainly responsible for last night's victory over Pennsburg. The two cagers combined their talents for a total of 30 points, Fearheller tabbing 20 and Tiros accounting for 10.

In the preliminary affair, Pennsburg High's lassies, champions of the Upper Montco league, handed Royersford's Eaglettes a 22-10 setback.

Pennsburg	G.	F.	P.	Royersford	G.	F.	P.
Yerger, f	4	0	8	Sweeney, f	1	0	2
Undercof'r, f	3	1	7	Tiros, f	4	2	10
Bieler, f	0	1	1	Miller, f	2	2	6
Buck, c	0	1	1	Faust, f	2	2	6
Sehlicher, g	1	1	3	Geiss, f	0	1	1
Nolle, g	0	0	0	Fearheller, c	7	6	20
Gerheart, g	3	0	6	Dinnocen'ti, g	0	0	0
Eshbach, g	1	0	2	Freed, g	0	0	0
Kline, g	0	1	1	Keiser, g	0	1	1
				Kolb, g	0	0	0
				Marsden, g	2	0	4
				Hedrick, f	1	0	2
				Carl, f	0	0	0
Totals	12	5	29	Totals	19	13	52

Pennsburg ..... 4 2 8 15—29
Royersford ..... 8 16 13 15—52

Christopher Seeks Starting Assignment With the Athletics

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 17 (AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics' famed "Fireman" Russ Christopher today declared himself a holdout — for a starting pitcher assignment.

Christopher said the contract offered him by owner-manager Connie Mack was fine providing he worked as a starter once every fourth day.

"If I'm going to be a relief pitcher again this year," said Russ, "I'll have to get more money.

"You know relief pitchers work twice as hard in a season as starter. They should be paid accordingly, especially a good one."

The tall right hander who won 10 and lost seven while working in 44 games the past season explained that there was more in his record than showed on the surface.

"For example," Russ pointed out, "there were at least 13 other ball games I saved for other pitchers and they naturally got credit for the victories.

"Also, you have to take into consideration the time spent warming up in the bull pen for a relief assignment that never materializes. Why, sometimes you can pitch a ball game right in the bull pen."

Christopher said he'd prefer to stay home and work independently as a semi-professional pitcher rather than sign for another tough season as a reliefer at the figure offered by the Athletics.

Being a starting A's pitcher would be nothing new for Christopher who won 14 and 13 games in two seasons with a last place club during the war years.

Mack made him a "fireman" because of a leaky heart that apparently handicapped him from going the full nine innings at full strength. That's why he wants to work only every four days now.

The six foot, four hurler from Port Richmond, Calif., was credited with a major part in the past year's surprising rise of the Athletics to the top of the second division.

PMC Prep Quintet Comes Here to Face The Hill Five Today

Seeking its eighth victory of the year, The Hill's basketball team takes on the Pennsylvania Military college prep school quintet this afternoon on spacious Gillison Memorial court at 3 o'clock.

The Hill has shown much success on its home court this year, winning six games and losing only three. Coach Walt Lemley's charges are slightly favored to win this afternoon's cage tussle.

Coach Lemley announced last night that he will probably keep the same five boys in his starting lineup. This means Jay Sherrerd, Jack Knudsen, Dick Harter, Bob Lindsay and Bill Downing will start against PMC prep today.

Tommy Reidenouer, former Pottstown High cager, will be in the PMC starting lineup against The Hill quintet.

Cardinalettes Triumph Over Norristown Foe

With Tena Stewart and Ann Stitzel again leading the attack, the Pottstown Cardinalettes copped their fourth consecutive victory last night by defeating Norristown by a 41-25 score at the Pottstown Junior High palestra.

Cardinalettes	G.	F.	P.	Norristown	G.	F.	P.
Stewart, f	6	1	13	Heimer, f	4	0	8
Adams, f	2	2	6	Sayers, f	2	0	4
Stitzel, f	6	0	12	Klipatrick, f	4	1	9
Daily, f	1	1	3	Law, f	2	0	4
Dudick, f	2	1	5	Dooner, g	0	0	0
Walters, f	1	0	2	Mallov, g	0	0	0
Bittle, g	0	0	0	Mitsch, g	0	0	0
Kovach, g	0	0	0	Coull, g	0	0	0
Appel, g	0	0	0	DiGiac'mo, g	0	0	0
Totals	18	5	41	Totals	12	1	25

Cardinalettes ..... 12 9 14 6—41
Norristown ..... 11 2 6 6—25

City League to Open Playoffs Tonight; Two Games on Tap

Finishing its first year in the City Basketball league unbeaten, a strong Pottstown Tool and Engineering company quintet starts its bid for the league championship tonight when it faces UAW 644's Autoworkers in the first game of the semi-finals in the Shaughnessy playoffs.

Roth's, losers only to the Engineers during the regular league season, finished one game behind the leaders and will battle Maria Assunta, the surprise team in the league, in the second semi-final game of tonight's doubleheader.

The Engineers-UAW 644 contest will start at 7:15 o'clock tonight at the Pottstown Junior High palestra with the main event getting underway at 8:30 o'clock.

The teams will play tonight and tomorrow night in the semi-final round, and if a third game is necessary to determine the finalists it will be played Monday night. If the semi-finals are decided in two games, the final playoffs will start Monday night.

The Autoworkers and Maria Assunta are expected to give the top two teams some trouble in the playoffs. UAW stayed in the first division most of the year, but Maria Assunta lost its first three games before winning seven in a row to climb into a tie with UAW for third place. The Autoworkers won the toss of the coin and decided to meet the Engineers in the semi-finals.

The Engineers and Maria Assunta are newcomers to the City league, but the Autoworkers and Roth's battled in the playoffs the past year. Roth's were eliminated in the semi-finals and the Autoworkers lost to the Amvets in the finals.

Pottstown Lassies Lose at Reading

With two girls doing all the scoring Reading Central Catholic High sextet registered an impressive 32-11 victory over Pottstown High's Trojanettes yesterday afternoon at Reading.

Marie Loper and Pat Beatt combined their talents for 14 field goals and four fouls during the tussle. Loper accounted for 24 points and Beatt tabbed the remaining eight.

For Pottstown, Pern Drumheller paced the scorers with five points on a pair of field goals and one foul.

Pottstown	G.	F.	P.	Reading	G	F.	P.
Drumhell'r, f	2	1	5	Loper, f	10	4	24
Blackwell, f	1	1	3	Beatt, f	4	0	8
Harvey, f	0	0	0	Trompette, f	0	0	0
Jacobs, f	0	0	0	Essick, f	0	0	0
Anderson, f	1	1	3	Doian, g	0	0	0
Stepp, g	0	0	0	Gramatti, g	0	0	0
Yocom, g	0	0	0	Adams, g	0	0	0
Snell, g	0	0	0	Bender, g	0	0	0
Farlinger, g	0	0	0	Boner, g	0	0	0
Totals	4	3	11	Totals	14	4	32

Pottstown ..... 6 3 2 0—11
Reading ..... 14 5 5 8—32

BERTOLINI SIGNS RHODE, KOVACS FOR MAIN BOUT

Mercer, Farina Booked For Team Match in Reading Tomorrow

READING, Feb. 17—Two spectacular young wrestlers, Herman "Dutch" Rhode, of Camden, N. J., and Sandor Kovacs, of Hungary, will collide Thursday night in a one-fall-to-a-finish main event of Promoter Bert Bertolini's newest mat card at the Reading Armory.

Rhode, the blonde former policeman from Camden, is one of the most popular performers to appear in Reading, and certainly the most devastating. In his past match here, Rhode was the only man left in the ring when the smoke cleared. His opponent, the Super Swedish Angel, was out on his feet outside the ring as a result of a chair wielded by Rhode, and Referee Tom Finley was being worked on by the doctor as a result of a wild blow from the Angel. Fans are still talking about that match.

Kovacs, too, is capable of providing top thrills while in action. The youthful Hungarian, who equals Rhode in size and strength, has won his two assignments in Reading, both of them team match affairs. He feels that he can handle Rhode with similar success. Both men will enter the ring Thursday night at slightly more than 220 pounds.

In the 30-minute semi-windup, Bertolini is presenting two popular Reading performers, Milo Steinborn, Memphis, Tenn., and Bert Healion, former Irish hammer-throwing champion from County Mayo, Ireland. Healion is unbeaten in two Reading starts this season, and Steinborn has lost once in six matches.

A team match will fill out the bill, traveling the usual two-out-of-three falls route. Marvin Mercer, Reading star, and Lou Farina, slick favorite from Hoboken, N. J., will oppose George Bruckman, Washington, D. C., and Pat Welsh, Miami, Fla. Bruckman is making his first showing of the season. The first bout will get underway at 8:45 o'clock.

STEPHENS SIGNS

BOSTON, Feb. 17 (AP) — The Boston Red Sox announced today that Vern Stephens, slugging shortstop obtained from the St. Louis Browns, had come to terms. No details were disclosed.

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MEMBERS OF A GROUP of reinforcement guards, sent from various sections of Palestine to protect farmlands in the Negev area, a Haganah boy and girl keep watch over a reservoir. There are some 25 settlements of Jewish pioneers in the Negev, a vast stretch of desert land bordering on the Egyptian frontier, where farms have been cultivated by using modern irrigation methods and scientific planting.

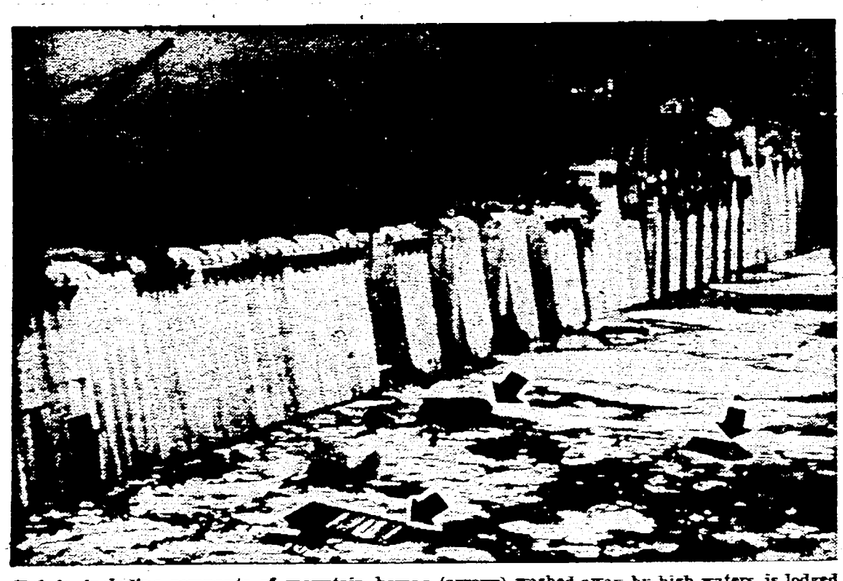
MASSES OF BUBBLES provide Film Star Greer Garson's protection from the eyes of the curious on the Hollywood set where she is making "Julia Misbehaves" for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. Word that the scene was being shot was sufficient to bring visitors flocking to the set for an eye-filling glimpse.

CARRYING A GIANT POSTCARD demanding passage of universal military training by Congress, Carl Miller (left), legislative director of Wayne county, Mich., Amvets, a veteran group, arrives in Washington. He is greeted by Amvets Commander Edgar C. Corry Jr. The card, which bears over 200 names, including that of Detroit's mayor, will be presented to the Michigan delegation in Congress.

AT THE LOS ANGELES GENERAL HOSPITAL, Charles Yates, 3, cries as he is treated by Dr. Edward Moss and his nurse, Mrs. Gayle Emard. Charles and two other children of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Yates were taken to the hospital suffering from effects of poisoning. The children are said to have eaten the poison when they scavenged bits of food from neighborhood garbage pails for a meal. The parents were ordered held on charges of child neglect. Mrs. Yates (left) is shown leaving the Lincoln Heights jail in Los Angeles.

SON OF THE LATE PRESIDENT, James Roosevelt, and his wife, Agnes, pose with their five-weeks-old daughter, Anna Eleanor, shortly after the infant was christened at their home in Beverly Hills, Calif. The baby wore the same lace dress and petticoat that her grandmother, Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, wore in 1884.

ON A VISIT TO NEW YORK, the Rev. William Leising points to the location in the Canadian Arctic of radio stations operated by six Catholic missionary priests. From their vantage point in the icy wastes of Mackenzie Territory, they would sound the alarm if any enemy were to try to strike over the northern Polar region.



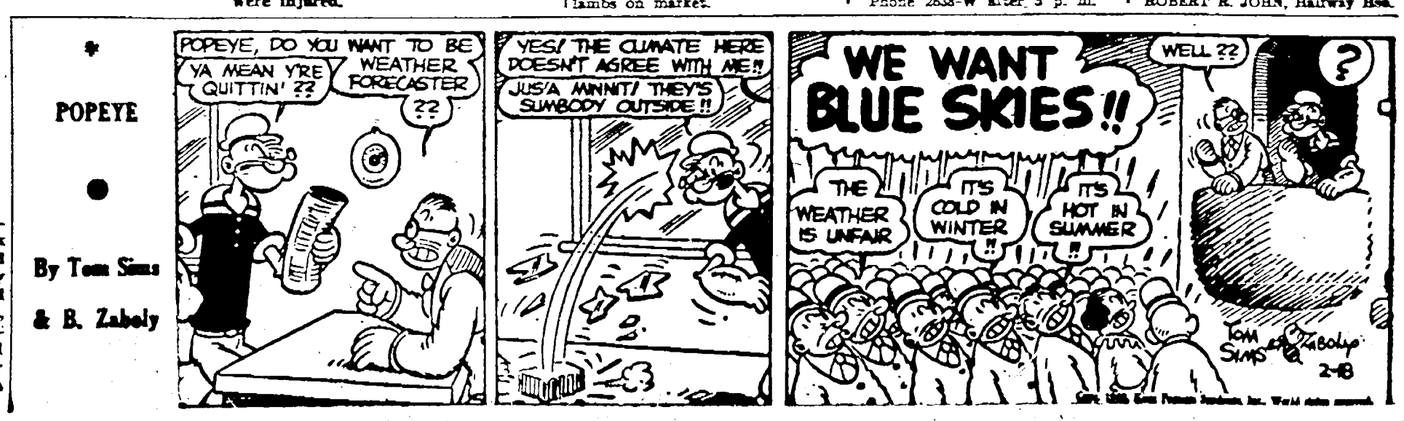
Debris, including remnants of mountain homes (arrows) washed away by high waters, is lodged behind the 165-foot Bluestone Dam now nearing completion on the New River, near Hinton, W. Va. Water at this level is 60 feet, 30 feet above normal pool stage.

A performing chimp at the San Antonio, Texas, Zoo, "Trudy" dons her slipover and head kerchief as the weatherman predicts more cold weather. "Trudy" needn't worry as the temperature in the monkey house is kept constant at approximately 72 degrees.

NOSE DOWN toward the Wabash River, this Nickel Plate freight engine toppled from a trestle when it hit a split switch at Lafayette, Ind. Engineer, fireman and a train crew member were injured.

Republicans grouped at a dinner in Washington are (left to right): Sen. C. Wayland Brooks, Illinois; Rep. Edith Nourse Rogers, Massachusetts; House Speaker Joseph W. Martin, Jr., Massachusetts; Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg, Michigan.

Expectant mother Mrs. Harriet Weeks leaves New York court after judge postponed sentencing her for petty larceny charge so that her child would not be born in jail. Mrs. Weeks, 34-year-old mother of six children, said she stole and pawned two watches to get food for her children and medicine for a jobless, veteran husband.



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Deaths 1

EMES—On Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1948 Gerald F., husband of Adeline (Moser) Emes, aged 55 years. Relatives and friends and members of Eagles, Owls and West End Fire Co. are invited to the services from the Fleischmann Funeral Home, 253 Beech St., Pottstown on Saturday, Feb. 21, at 2 p. m. Interment in East Nantmeal Baptist cemetery. Friends may call at the Funeral Home Friday evening 7 to 9. (Fleischmann)

MAUGER—On Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1948 J. Elmer, husband of Blanche (Fulmer) Mauger, aged 57 years. Services will be held from the White Memorial home, Parkerford, at the convenience of the family. Interment in East Coventry Mennonite cemetery. Friends may call Thursday evening 7 to 8:30. (White)

PASCHEDAG—On Sunday, Feb. 15, 1948 Henry Paschedag Sr., husband of Anna C. (Spengenberg) Paschedag, aged 70 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Funeral Parlors of Wesley O. Harley, 404 High St., on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Interment in Highland Memorial Park. Friends may call Tuesday evening 7 to 8:30. (Harley)

Card of Thanks 2

ALBRIGHT—

The family of the late Mary Elizabeth Albright desires to thank the kind neighbors and friends for the assistance and sympathy, floral tributes and use of cars offered during their recent bereavement.

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LANCASTER, Feb. 17 (AP)—Cattle 170, steers $1 lower than the past week. Calves 457. Choice grades 29 to 30 cents. Hogs 321. Bulk of sales $25 to $25.50. Sheep 15. No lambs on market.

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40 Chevrolet Town Sedan	285
40 Ford Sedan	335
41 Plymouth 2-dr. Sedan	365
41 Buick Sedan	435
41 DeSoto Sedan	399
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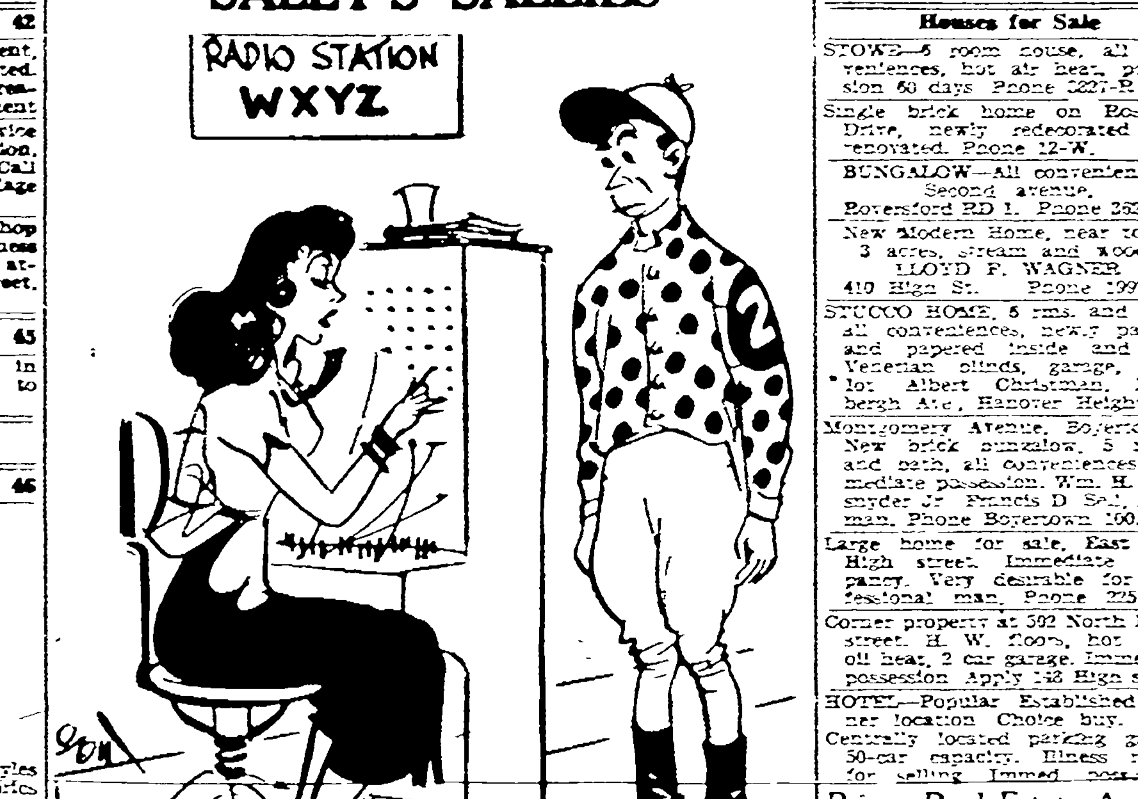

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Of Farm Implements and Household Goods, Saturday, February 21, 1948, on the road leading to Neiffer, on the former Bill Davidson farm. Farmall tractor, F12; tractor plow and cultivator; disc and harrow; grain drill; double corn planter; mowing machine; hay rake; manure spreader; 2 wagons, plank sled; 2 threshing machines, hammermill, lot of tools HOUSEHOLD GOODS—Electric refrigerator, 2 kitchen ranges, 1 a combination gas and coal; 2 oil stoves, kitchen cabinet, cupboard, Philco radio, bed set, 2 beds, complete; crib, 3 bureaus, tables, chairs, stands, washing machine, and many other articles not mentioned Sale 12:30 o'clock p. m.
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PUBLIC SALE
OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND STORE FIXTURES
On Saturday, Feb 21, 1948 at 110 King St., Pottstown, Pa. Consisting of Kelvinator electric refrigerator double door, Quality table top gas range, Prima electric washer, large 8 piece oak dining room suite, davenport, overstuffed chairs, rockers, bookcase and desk, tables, stands, pedestals, floor and table lights, 12x15 rug, 3—7x9 Japanese rugs, large wardrobe chiffonier, vanity, wash stand, wicker and porch chairs, victrola, sewing machine, roll top desk, barroom chair, breakfast set, porcelain top table, hall racks, card tables, trunk, pillows, quilts, mattress, linens, glassware and dishes (some antique), cooking utensils, electric appliances (coffee pot, mixer, toaster, sandwich grill, waffle iron), kitchen cabinet, clock, tubs, stepladder, lawn statues, bird bath.
STORE FIXTURES: Toledo computing scales, counter with bins, floor model show case, small showcase, shelving, and many other numerous articles.
Sale at 1 p. m.
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Our Next Community Sale will be Saturday, March 20, 1948.
G. K. WAGNER

PUBLIC SALE
OF LIVESTOCK, MACHINERY, FEED, TOOLS, HOUSEHOLD GOODS, etc.
On Wednesday, Feb. 25, 1948 on the premises formerly known as the William H. Bishop Farm located ½ mile East of Route 100, 3 miles South of Pottstown, Chester County, Penna. Watch for Sale Signs along Route 100.
Having sold the farm will sell without reserve:
LIVESTOCK: 15 extra good dairy cows, mostly Holsteins. These cows are young and out of pure bred and high producing stock. Have size, shape and dairy qualities. 5 fancy heifers, 1 good young stock bull. This is a very good herd of dairy cattle. 1 riding and driving horse. 4 butcher hogs. 3 breeding geese. Coon dog.
FEED: 800 bus good hard ear corn, 100 bus. barley, 25 tons mixed hay baled, 5 tons bright straw baled, a lot of good ensilage.
MACHINERY, EQUIPMENT & TOOLS: 1 Model Z. M. M. tractor on rubber with starter, lights and cultivator; 2 Model S. C. Case tractors on rubber, starter, lights and cultivators; 1 R. C. Case tractor; 10-20 McDeering tractor; 2 bottom 14" Case tractor plow on rubber; Mc.-D. 3 bottom 14" tractor plow on rubber, Mc.-D. 2 bottom 14" tractor plow, J. D. 2 bottom 12" tractor plow, pulverizer, 3 section M. M. spring tooth harrow, 2—2-section M. M. spring tooth harrows, M. M. 8' disk harrow, Mc.-D. 7' disk harrow, cultipacker, single cultivator, Mc.-D riding cultivator, cultimucher, M. M. tractor manure spreader on rubber, M. M. 16 disk grain drill on rubber, horse grain drill, lime spreader on rubber, 2-row M. M. corn picker, M. M. heavy duty green crop loader, 1947 model New Holland pick-up baler, late model Oliver combine, Mc.-D. corn binder with carrier, Mc.-D. ensilage cutter and blower, 16" Papec cutter and blower slightly used, 7A Bear Cat hammer mill, Letz ruffage mill, 2 rubber tire farm wagons, 2 wooden wheel wagons, hay loader, horse mower, Continental power unit, feed mixer, seed cleaner, corn sheller, potato cutter, potato planter, potato plow, potato grader, hay and grain elevators, rotary hoe, grapple hook, feed car, platform scale, bag truck, baler twine, belting hay rope and pulleys, air compressors, electric motors, drill press, oil drums, tap and die set, pipe threader, jacks, log chains, forks, shovels, rakes, garden and carpenter tools, lawn mower, snow fencing.
DAIRY EQUIPMENT: 2 unit DeLaval Speedway Magnetic Milker, automatic milk house water heater, milk cans, buckets, stools, etc
All the above mentioned Machinery and Equipment is in good condition and will be sold.
HOUSEHOLD GOODS: Bureaus, cupboard, sideboard, chairs, beds and springs, victrola, radio, old lamps, old dishes, cradle, canoe, copper and iron kettles, jugs and crocks butchering tools, lard press, meat grinder and other articles too numerous to mention.
Come early as we have plenty to sell.
Sale at 11.00 a. m. sharp.
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NOTICE
The budget of Lower Pottsgrove Township is ready for inspection. Anyone wishing to see it, may call at the home of
C. H. FRY.
Pleasantview Road.

SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a writ of Levari Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Montgomery County, Penna., to me directed, will be sold at Public Sale on
WEDNESDAY,
FEBRUARY 25th, 1948
at 1:00 o'clock, P. M., Eastern Standard Time, in Court Room "A" at the Court House, in the Borough of Norristown, said County, the following described Real Estate:—

ALL THAT CERTAIN two story frame dwelling house and lot of land situate in the Township of Pottsgrove, now West Pottsgrove, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit:—
BEGINNING at a point on the North side of Glasgow Road, of this and land now or late of Henry W. Nagle, thence by the same in a Northeasterly direction 150 ft.; thence still by the same in a Northeasterly direction 50 ft. to a corner of this and land now or late of Sallyann Moser, thence by and along the same in a Southwesterly direction 150 ft. to the said Glasgow Road; thence along the said road in a Southeasterly direction 50 ft. to the place of beginning.
The improvements thereon are a
3 Story Stucco-frame house, 24 ft front by 26 ft. deep, with 3 rooms on first floor, 3 rooms on second floor, 1 room on third floor, cellar, electric lights, well water.
Seized and taken in execution as the property of Elsie M. Brunner, Real Owner, and to be sold by
SAMUEL M. GLASS,
Sheriff
Down Money $200.00
Sheriff's Office, Norristown, Pa. January 27th, 1948.

ALL THAT CERTAIN lot or piece of land situate in the Borough of Pottstown, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, at the rear of No 1029 South Street, bounded, limited and described as follows, to wit:
BEGINNING at a point in the South line of New Alley (20') wide, distance 540' Westerly from the Westerly line of Price Street and at a corner of lot No. 225; thence along said lot Southerly and at right angles to said alley 60 ft; thence at right angles Westerly 50 ft. and Northerly at right angles 60 ft. to said alley line; thence along the same Easterly 50 ft. to the place of beginning.
BEING parts of Lots Nos. 226 and 227 on the East End Plan of Lots.
The improvements thereon are a
1 Story Frame and Rubberoid Shingle House, 24 ft. front by 27 ft. deep, with 6 rooms, cellar, electric lights
Seized and taken in execution as the property of Frank J. Verga and Evelyn M. Verga, and to be sold by
SAMUEL M. GLASS,
Sheriff
Down Money $200 00
Sheriff's Office, Norristown, Pa. January 27th, 1948.

ALL THAT CERTAIN lot or piece of ground and messuage situate in the Borough of Pottstown, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, on the East side of Spruce Street, being known as No 468 Spruce Street, bounded and described as follows, to wit:—
BEGINNING at a point in the East side of Spruce Street, a corner of this and lot No. 53; thence along the said lot No. 63 Eastwardly 140 ft. to a 20 ft. wide alley; thence along the West side of said alley Southwardly 30 ft. to a point 150 ft. Southwardly from the Southern side of West Street, being a corner of this and Lot No. 65; thence at right angles to the last line and parallel to the first mentioned line Westwardly dividing this from said Lot No. 65, 140 ft. to Spruce Street aforesaid; thence by the same Northwardly 30 ft. to the place of beginning.
The improvements thereon are a
3 Story Brick House 18 ft. front by 40 ft. deep, with 3 rooms on first floor, 2 rooms and bath on second floor, 2 rooms on third floor, cellar, gas, electric lights, Borough water, hot water heat, front and back porch
2 Story Brick House, 12 ft. front by 28 ft. deep, with 1 room (Store) on first floor, 2 rooms on second floor, cellar, electric lights, Borough water, back porch
Seized and taken in execution as the property of Clarence A. Woodley, Jr., Mortgagor and Real Owner and to be sold by
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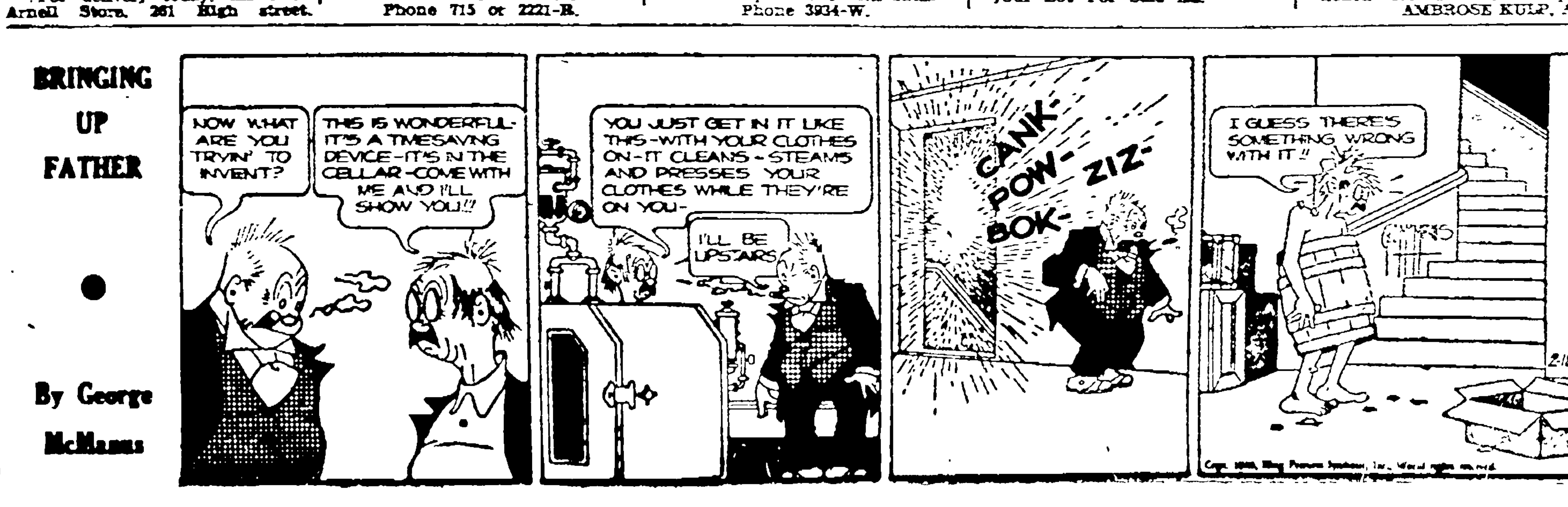

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Mia Slavenska Star of Ballet Program Listed at Community Concert Tomorrow

A ballet program will be presented to the Community Concert association audience tomorrow night at 8:30 o'clock in the Pottstown Senior High school auditorium.

At that time Mia Slavenska, who has starred with the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo, will present a company of eight associates in her Ballet Variante.

Six performances will make up the varied program, including works by Liszt, Tschaikowsky, Dubussy, Delibes, Glazounov and the modern American Byrns.

Two of the most familiar ballets on the program will be Tschaikowsky's "Nutcracker Suite" and Delibes' "Coppelia."

For her solo performance, Mia Slavenska will dance to Wilde's story of Salome.

Mme. Slavenska was born in the Croatian mountains, and began to dance when she was four. She was accepted later as a pupil in the ballet of the Royal Opera in Zagreb and later became a member of the corps de ballet.

Later, she was trained in ballet in Paris and Vienna.

In addition to her performances in Europe, North Africa and America, the danseuse starred in the motion picture "Ballerina."

At tomorrow night's performance the music will be supplied by two pianists, David N. Vasquez and Peter Millard.

Autoist Faces Court For Second Violation

Frank Szabo, 32, of Pottstown RD 4, is free under $500 bail awaiting court action in Norristown on charges of driving while his license was suspended.

Bail was set at a hearing Monday before Magistrate John W. Hunsicker, Linfield, who said that Szabo's license had been suspended for 90 days Dec. 1 for speeding in Limerick township.

Hunsicker said the suspension-violation charge was brought by the same trooper of the Collegeville State police barracks who had arrested him for speeding.

Institute Professor To Speak at Bethany

Addison V. Pinkney, Pine Forge Institute professor, will discuss "Father and Son Relationships" at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Bethany Center, as part of the borough's Father and Son Week.

His talk is sponsored by the Extension division of the YMCA. William S. Carden, Extension division secretary, said the meeting will be open to the public.

Pinkney, a native of Baltimore, is a graduate of the Coppin Normal and Morgan State college.

He served as principal of the Turner school, Baltimore, for 20 years, and spent two years as secretary of the Baltimore branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

The Baltimore branch of the NAACP was awarded the group's national prize in 1947 for the most outstanding work in the nation.

In addition to Pinkney's talk, a male quartet from the Pine Forge Institute will sing. Leo Hudson will act as master of ceremonies for the program.

Students to See Films Presented by SPCA

Motion pictures will be presented by the SPCA to students in the Pottstown elementary schools and the Junior High school today and tomorrow, Harvard B. Posnocht, principal of the elementary schools, announced yesterday.

J. A. Willard Jr., director of visual education of the SPCA, will present the films to the students.

The program will begin with the showing of "A Trip to the Zoo" at the Washington school at 10 o'clock this morning. The same film will be shown at the St. Clair school at 1 o'clock this afternoon, while the film "Dogs in Service of the Government" will be shown at the Junior High school at 2 o'clock.

Rupert, Jefferson and Lincoln school students will see the film, "A Trip to the Zoo," tomorrow.

Two Labor Leaders Support Wallace

Two officials of Local 644, United Automobile Workers (CIO) were among 22 labor leaders who signed a statement supporting Henry A. Wallace and the third party yesterday.

They were Harper R. Diener, president of the local, and Robert B. Conner, chairman of the bargaining committee.

They joined 15 other local officers, four AFL men and one Railroad Brotherhood representative in calling upon "the rank and file" to support Wallace.

Both the national and state-wide organization of the CIO and AFL have disavowed the movement.

The statement which the union men signed was announced by J. W. Gitt, York publisher.

It said in part, "Henry Wallace is the only candidate for President demanding an immediate rollback and rigid control of prices while calling for swift legislation to prevent further big business profiteering—17 billions after taxes in 1947."

The statement added that Wallace is the only presidential candidate who has called publicly for a general wage increase in 1948 and a $1 an hour guaranteed minimum wage "to meet the ballooning rise in the cost of living."

Wallace is scheduled to speak to a state-wide third party convention at York March 7.

Chamber Committees To Be Picked Today

Members of special and administrative committees of the Pottstown Chamber of Commerce will be named at a meeting of the board of directors today.

J. G. Ludwick, president, will name the committee members when the group meets in the Merchant's hotel at 12 10 o'clock this afternoon.

TREASURY BALANCE

WASHINGTON, Feb 17 (AP)—The position of the Treasury Feb 13: Receipts, $305,705,887.82; expenditures, $106,701,470.33, balance $3,949,924,282.39, total debt, $254,720,326,314.43; increase over previous day, $25,061,139.16.

Hospital Service Official To Address ABC Group

The necessity of prepaid hospital care on a community basis will be discussed at the American Business club meeting tonight by Edgar C. Donaghue, Aldan.

Donaghue, who represents Pottstown for the Associated Hospital Service of Philadelphia, will bring with him a sound motion picture dealing with his subject. He will be assisted by Clarence E. Pigage, Springfield.

The club will meet at the Elks' home at 6:15 o'clock.

MacArthur Fears Revolt Over Jap Economics

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17 (AP) — Japan will see "a blood bath of revolutionary violence" if the occupation fails to smash the economic power centered in a few families, General MacArthur predicts.

The Allied commander contends that tearing down and redistributing this economic concentration is the first essential to setting up a free enterprise system.

In a letter to Senator McMahon (D-Conn) made public today, the Allied commander said:

"The Japanese people fully understand the nature of the forces which have so ruthlessly exploited them in the past."

YOUTH ADMITS THEFTS

NEW CASTLE, Feb. 17 (AP)—Chief of Police Robert Hanna said today John McFarland, 18, had admitted a series of roboeries including looting a safe in the Wilkins poolroom of $400 the past Saturday.

4 Vestrymen Elected At Episcopal Church

The congregational meeting of Christ Episcopal church held Sunday night was the largest in the church's history, the Rev. George A. Lineker, rector, reported yesterday.

Under the rotating vestry system, four men were elected to serve three-year terms. They are Melvin E. Pierce, Richard C. Stein, Morison Blake and Webster P. Schlott.

The four new vestry members succeed Thomas F. Storm, James G. Sanos, Harry Kupo and Earl R. Strange, who completed their term.

Reports were read by Mrs. Arnold Watson for the Women's guild; Mrs. Frederick Lilich, Women's club; Mrs. Joseph Feeney, Women's auxiliary; Mrs. Russell H. Shelly, Altar guild; Blake, Men's club and Ernest Brenneman, Sunday school.

The Rev. Lineker reported that the congregation currently numbers 568, and that 191 services and 110 Holy Communions were held the past year.

Sports Films Shown - At Lions Club Meeting

Forty-five members of the Pottstown Lions club were entertained with an evening of motion pictures at last night's meeting in the Elks home.

The showing included films of the Louis-Walcott fight, three musical shorts and a survey of collegiate football during 1947.

Marmaduke B. Edwards, second vice president, was in charge of the brief business meeting.

REVENUE OFFICE TO CLOSE

The Internal Revenue department office in the Postoffice building will be closed all day Monday, in honor of Washington's birthday, it was announced yesterday by Lamar Missimer, deputy collector. Washington's birthdate is Sunday.

Valentine Program Planned by Grange

The social hour of tonight's Santatoga Grange meeting will be turned into a valentine party.

Also at the 8 o'clock affair the captains of the two attendance teams, the Owls and the Eagles, will pick their teams. The captains are Samuel Hanna and Irving Mahr.

SEARS EMPLOYES SHARE IN FIRM'S PROFITS

Photo shows four 10-year employes of Sears, Roebuck and Co. 232 High Street, receiving their share in the company's 1947 profits from Manager James L. Grigg. From left to right they are William J. Cuprero, William H. Bartman, Marvin N. Herbine, Nora B. Dotterer and Manager Grigg. Ten other employes also participated.

Because of their membership in "The Savings and Profit Sharing Pension Fund of Sears, Roebuck and Co. Employes" these men and women today received from J. L. Grigg, manager of the Sears store, individual statements as to the amounts being credited to their fund accounts out of last year's profits.

According to Mr. Grigg, the 14 Pottstown members have to their credit in the fund an aggregate of 520 shares of Sears stock plus a cash balance of $5931. Based on a January 31st market value of 34 dollars per share for Sears stock, this group has an investment worth, in aggregate, $24,131.

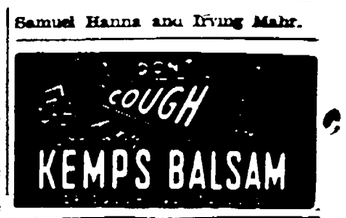
Mr. Grigg explained that Sears employes are eligible to join this fund after one year of service. Employe members deposit five per cent of their salaries into their individual accounts each year, with the maximum deposit limited to $250 annually. The company distributes into the fund an established percentage of its profits which are distributed proportionately to employe members depending on length of service.

This year those employes with less than five years service with Sears had credited to their accounts, $1.15 for every dollar they themselves contributed. Employes who have been with the company from five to ten years were credited $2.30 for every dollar saved. For those with over ten years service the company placed $3.45 into the fund for every dollar put in by the member. The fourth participating group—employes over fifty years of age with over fifteen years of service—were credited $4.60 from the company for every dollar deposited.

"Sears profit sharing system is particularly unique in that it was established thirty-two years ago," said Mr. Grigg.

"In setting up at that early date a system to provide for the eventual retirement and old age of its employes, Sears management actually initiated a form of social security twenty years ahead of the government.

"The fund now owns over 16 percent of Sears stock and this ownership makes it the company's largest single stockholder. The fund's current assets amount to $171,065,000 (based on a January 31st value of $34 a share)—these assets being credited directly to the accounts of the individual members. However, the actual money deposited by the present employe membership in order to amass this value has been only $31,000,000," Mr. Grigg pointed out. (Adv.)



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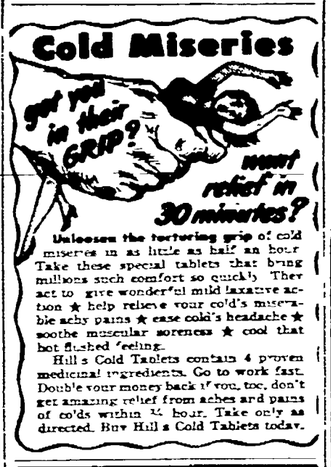

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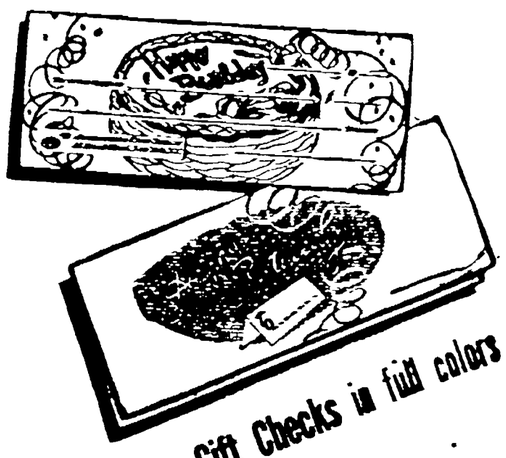

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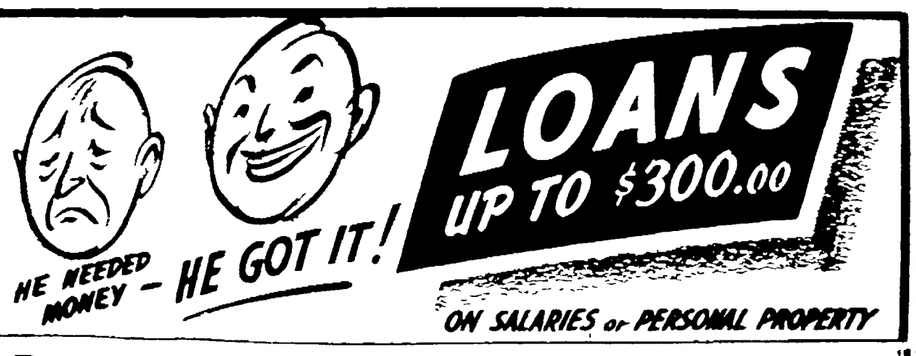

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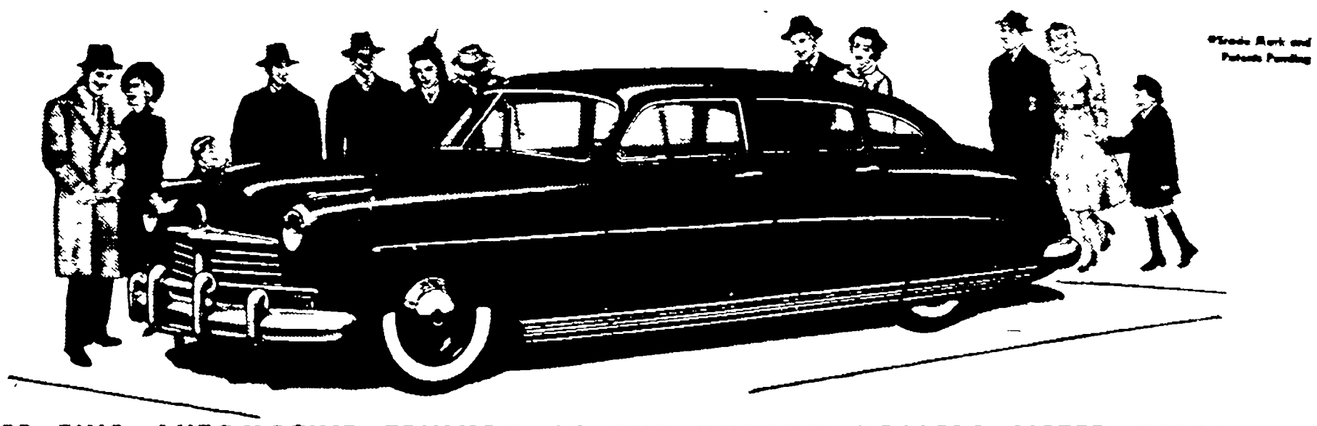

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